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VOL. No. 88 — No. 47 STIRLING, HASTINGS COUNTY, ONTARIO WEDNESDAY, DECEMER 3rd, 1969 $4.00 per year in Canada — Single copies 10 cents

Rotary Turkey Bingo, Stirling Theatre, Tuesday, Dec. 9th at 8.00 p.m.

under auspices Stirling Rotary Club. Three door prizes, $25, $15 and $10 value (for advance ticket holders only) — Tickets 25c or 5 for $1.00 Advance Ticket entitles holder to 2 games

THIS YEAR ONLY FROZEN TURKEYS WILL BE AWARDED AS PRIZES

Merchants Ready For Christmas; Santa Claus To Be Here Saturday

Once more, Christmas is with us. And once again the residents of Stirling and vicinity are faced with the problem of Christmas shopping. Every member of the family expects that Santa Claus will make his annual appearance. From the youngest to the oldest, there is a feeling of expectancy. Santa Claus or no Santa Claus, the spirit of Christmas must be upheld.

To this end. Stirling merchants are putting forth a united effort to make the Christmas shopping season an easier and more enjoyable one. The local stores are attractively decorated, windows are gaily adorned and literally shine forth with news that within are items attractively priced for Christmas buyers. Shelves are stacked high with all those articles of wearing apparel and household necessities that anyone could desire.

No Christmas season has found the local merchants more prepared to serve than the present one. No finer stocks have ever graced windows and store-rooms. Bright, new, attractive goods well-displayed, carefully chosen, and reasonably priced are to be found on every hand. Buyers should peruse the advertisements in this issue and shop where they are invited to shop.

Santa Claus Coming Saturday

Santa Claus will arrive in Stirling on Saturday next, December 6th, around 2.00 o'clock at the Cenotaph area. After greeting every good little boy and girl in the community. Santa will present each one with a bag of treats. Later the children will be treated to a free show in the Stirling Theatre.

Santa's visit is being sponsored by the Stirling Chamber of Commerce and a special invitation is extended to the parents to bring their children to town Saturday afternoon.

Store Hours

For particulars of shopping hours in Stirling, readers are urged to see the advertisement on page seven of this issue.

Fire At Ivanhoe

A fire of unknown origin completely destroyed a small barn with a quantity of baled hay, and an adjoining shed on the property of Mr. Enoch Wright, Ivanhoe, at 1.15 a.m. on Saturday.

The alarm was given by a passing motorist. Despite the efforts of neighbours and the Madoc Fire Department, the buildings were a total loss, as there was no insurance.

Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211

The regular meeting of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, was held on Tuesday night in the I.O.O.F. Temple with the Noble Grand, Sister Eileen Woodcox, welcoming the members.

The Sick Convenor, Sister Kathleen McMullen, Vice Grand, reported that there were quite a number of the members sick with the cold and hoped that they would soon be well again.

It was decided to have a special Christmas luncheon after the next meeting. Sisters K. McMullen, V.G., and M. Sharpe are acting as convenors

The Noble Grand asked that as many as possible would attend the Degree of Chivalry, to be conferred in Belleville by the Department of Ontario Patriarchs Militant. Bro Clayton Burkitt, of Spring Brook Lodge and Stirling Encampment would be receiving this honour. Sister Verna Woodbeck, P.N.G., would be the soloist.

After a short business meeting, the members adjourned to the banquet hall and enjoyed a delicious lunch served by Sisters Cora Eggleton, Iva Philp and Evelyn Finkle. Sis. Nellie McIntosh voiced the thanks of the members.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Doran, of Stirling, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jayne, to Mr. Joseph Edward Durkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Durkin, Read, Ont. Marriage will take place Saturday, December 27th, 1969, at St. James The Minor Church, Stirling.

In Hospital

Local residents who are patients in Belleville General Hospital include Mr. Arthur Pyear and Mr. Joe Grills, of the Carmel community.

Attention Merchants

The Stirling Chamber of Commerce will be bagging candy for Santa's visit on Thursday night at 7.30 p.m. at the Community Hall. A good turnout of merchants will greatly assist in this work.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. HENRY THOMAS SINE

In failing health for some time, Mrs. Minnie Cecilia Sine, Green Acres Nursing Home and formerly of R.R. 3 Frankford, died in the Belleville General Hospital on Monday, December 1st, 1969, in her 92nd year.

Mrs. Sine was born at Harold, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Runnalls and had been in the Nursing Home for two years. She formerly resided in Rawdon Township. She was predeceased by her husband, the late Henry Thomas Sine.

She attended the United Church when health permitted.

Surviving are six daughters, Mrs Edward (Aleatha) McIntyre, Consecon; Mrs. Alfred (Sybil) Jones, of Carrying Place; Mrs. John (Mildred) Grills, Mrs. Clayton (Viola) Stapley, Mrs. Charles (Ada) Stapley, all of Frankford; Mrs. Ernest (Annie) Grills, Stirling; one son, George Sine, of Stirling R.R. 1; 27 grandchildren and 29 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Sine is resting at the Hogle Funeral Home, Stirling. Service will be held in the chapel on Thursday, December 4th at 1.30 p.m.

Interment will be in Sine Cemetery with Rev. J. Bruce Small officiating.

Post Office Christmas Deadlines Rates and Hours

Distant Points in Canada and U.S.A. — Mail before December 8th.

Other out-of-town points in Canada — Mail before December 13th.

Local Delivery — Mail before December 17th.

Greeting Cards (Open limit of five written words) —

Canada, Spain, U.S.A., North, Central and South America — 5c first 2 oz; 3c each additional 2 oz.

Great Britain, Commonwealth, Other Countries — 6c first 2 oz.; 4c each additional 2 oz.

First Class:

Canada, Gr. Britain, Commonwealth, France, Spain, U.S.A., North, Central and South America — 6c first oz; 4c each additional oz.

All other countries — 12c first oz.; 7c each additional oz.

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U.S.A. — 10c each oz.

Gr. Britain, Europe, South America, West Indies — 15c each ½ oz.

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For additional information, inquire at the Post Office.

Post Office wickets will remain open full day on Saturday, December 13th and 20th, (8.30 a.m. to 5.45 pm.)

Box holders are reminded that Box Lobby is always open 24 hours — never closed.

Your Post Office Box Number, General Delivery or Rural Route Number is your correct mailing address. A street number is useless as a mailing address in Stirling.

A DATE

Will all Senior Citizens please reserve Thursday, December 11th? For we are having a hot pre-Christmas TURKEY dinner at the Club Room, at 12.30. Bring your own eating tools, plate and mug. If you do not know what food to bring, just contact Gertrude Belshaw. She's got the answer.

Over thirty members enjoyed the meeting last week. The lunch was do-nuts and cheese and was the kindness of Mina Smith and Helen Reid. Murn Stapley came walking in with an armful of bananas. He said: "They won't make you fat. Did you ever see a fat monkey?"

Birthday greetings were sung to Elizabeth Foster and her neighbour, Mrs. W. Cox, presented her with a lovely flaming cake. Elizabeth expressed her thanks to Mrs. Cox and we all helped to eat it It was good, too.

Pres. Fred thanked all who helped to make our afternoon a pleasant one.

Thought For The Day

I will have a quiet half hour all by myself today and relax. Sometime during that period, I will try to get a better perspective of my life. I will be unafraid. Especially I will not be afraid to enjoy what is beautiful, and to believe that as I give to the world, so the world will give to me.

Now what do you want for Christmas?

Dis Ole Scribe

William Foster Wannamaker Dies Suddenly

Following a week's illness, William Foster Wannamaker, 115 Frankford Road, Stirling, died in Belleville General Hospital Thursday, November 27, 1969 in his 76th year.

He was born at Eldorado, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Wannamaker and had resided at Stirling for 40 years. He formerly resided at Bannockburn. Mr. Wannamaker was a retired farmer.

He attended St. Paul's United Church.

Surviving are one son, Vernon Wannamaker, Frankford, two daughters, Mrs. Ray (Hilda) Rose, Stirling, Mrs. Alfred (Hazel) Akins, RR 5, Stirling, one sister, Mrs. Thos. (Grace) Draddy,, Belleville, 13 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. His wife, the former Annie Parks died some years ago and a son Leonard Wannamaker died two weeks ago.

Mr. Wannamaker rested at the Hogle Funeral Home. Service was held in the chapel on Saturday, Nov. 29 at 1.30 p.m.

Interment was in Fox Cemetery, Eldorado with Rev. J. Bruce Small officiating.

Pallbearers were: Floyd Armstrong, Carman Nix, Glen Floud, Frederick Brandt, Bernard Berry, George Wilson.

Merrie Bowlers

High single, triple and average, Barb. Noble, 237, 645 and 192.

Over 200 games — Barb. Noble 237, 227; Marie Morton 203; Mildred Fraser 202; Ann Klompmaker 202; Linda Barrons 200; Donna Fargey 204; Marg. Keating 205.

Points — Moonshiners 7; Apollos 5; Skylarks 2.

Thursday Night Mixed Bowling

The Selects were 5 to 2 winners over the Westenders. The Idlers were 5 to 2 winners over the BP's.

Ladies' high single, triple and average, Sylvia Edgar, 260, 616 and 183.

Men's high single, triple and average, Gord. Barrie, 330, 857 and 202. Gord. Barrie's 857 triple is the highest for the season at the Bowl-O Drome.

Games of 200 and over: Sylvia Edgar 260; Verna Tucker 237; Don Tucker 240; Opal Reilly 208; Jack Morton 279; Ernie Glover 201, 216; Gord. Barrie 315, 212, 330; Ralph Parke 242; Bob Spencer 231; Marlene Fraser 219, 281; Jack Fraser 217.

Dairy Princess Hurt In Crash

Ontario's Dairy Princess escaped serious injury early Saturday when the automobile in which she was a passenger caught fire after a two-car crash 4 miles south of Stirling.

Lorene Archdekin 18, of Brampton, was one of four people taken to Belleville General Hospital after the crash. She was released after treatment for face cuts a hospital spokesman said.

Police said Miss Archdekin, in Belleville last week for the British Empire Dairy Show, was among passengers in a car driven by Michael Tsichlas, 17, of 49 Bridge Street West, Belleville. It collided with a car driven by William Roy Goody, 22, of Marmora, on Highway 14.

Police said another passenger in the Tsichlas car, Larry Tweedy, 17, of Avondale Road, suffered a broken leg. A third passenger, Stephen Ford, 18, of 368 Sidney Street, was released after treatment for minor injuries.

Mr .Goody was admitted to hospital with rib and chest injuries.

Wellman's

(Mrs. Victor Graham)

Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wally Jackson and family of Oshawa.

Miss Valerie Sharp is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Gladys Jackson, of Oshawa, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson and family.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Alfred Akins in the passing of her father, Mr. Foster Wannamaker, of Stirling.

$50 CASH PRIZES For Lighting Contest

FOR BEST EXTERIOR DECORATED HOMES IN STIRLING

The Stirling Public Utilities Commission will give prizes of $25.00; $15.00 & $10.00 for the most effective and decorative residential Christmas lighting.

Judging will take place between Christmas and New Year's.

Let's go all out and make our community an attractive one.

Stirling Village Council Met Thurs. In Regular Monthly Session

Stirling Village Council met on Thursday, November 27th, with Councillor Robert Anderson presiding in the absence of Reeve D. W. Rodgers. He was supported by Councillors Robert Hulin, Maurice Faulkner and Claude Trumble.

The following correspondence was read by Clerk-Treasurer W. L. Pollock:

Dept. of Municipal Affairs, Unconditional Grant; Victoria & Grey Trust Co., Perpetual Care Fund; O.W.R.C., Training Course; Ontario Provincial Police, Telephone listing; Greer and Galloway, Consulting Engineers; Town of Stoney Creek, Resolution; Dept. of Highways, Interim Subsidy; Dept. of Municipal Affairs, Bill 205; G. H Hogle, Assessment; Geo. Rhynsburger, Monthly report.

The final payment of the Unconditional Grant was received from the Dept. of Municipal Affairs. Total grant for the year is $6,770.00.

The Perpetual Care Fund of the Stirling Cemetery is now invested with the Victoria & Grey Trust Co., in the amount of $33,000.00, at 8¾% interest.

It was the decision of Council to take no action at the present time on the re-assessment request submitted by Mr. G. H. Hogle.

The request for extension of street, sewer and water line on St. James St., by Burton White, was tabled for further investigation.

The final Council meeting of the year will be held on Monday, December 15th, at 7.30 p.m.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

General

Co-Operative Health Services, $133.40; Mark Tripp Ltd., $48.64; Bell Canada — Office $24.60, Fire, 798, Total 32.58; Registry Office County of Hastings, $4.20; O.W.R.C., $7657.00; Woodbeck Auto Parts, $5.00; Stirling News-Argus, $129.33; City of Belleville (fire radio), $12.99; Warren Motors, $80.29; P.C.O. Services, $25.00; Alton Hadley, $96.74; McInroy Maines Ltd., $260.00; Stirling Machine Shop, $7.50; Noble's Pharmacy, $6.28; Wilson and Cousins, $$10.00; Byers Service Depot, $14.10; Safety Supply Co., $198.79; Mouck's Crest Hardware, $5.31; The Municipal World, $49.51; Ken Sine, $17.20; Imperial Oil, $50.80; Tanner's Service Station, $56.24.

Community Hall

Ken Sine, $27.45; Imperial Oil, $79.49; Mouck's Crest Hardware, $10.77; Stirling Lumber Ltd., $1.25.

Roads and Streets

Voucher No 11, $425.26.

Bereft of Brother

Sympathy is extended to Mrs Maurice Bell on the death of her brother, James Charles Munn , in Trenton Memorial Hospital, on Wednesday of last week. He was in his 55th year.

Girls' Hockey Game Saturday

Stirling Girls' Hockey team, "Ken Sine Fuels" will play their next home game at the Stirling Arena on Saturday, December 6th, at 6.30 p.m. Lakefield will provide the opposition. This will be the first league game of the season.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Earl Eggleton has returned home after a two-week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Gordon McGregor, Beamsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Ryan, at Pickering. Mrs. Warren is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pyear, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Patterson and daughters, Lorraine and Barbara, of Clayton, N.Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh, on Thursday last.

Blind Canvass

Spring Brook Women's Institute canvass for the Blind amounted to $132.25. The committee in charge expresses thanks to the canvassers and to those who made contributions.

Bantam Scores

Bantam House League hockey scores for November 29th were: Jets 3 Merchants 2; Chargers 3 Dairy 1.

Novices Win Three

Stirling Novice Legion All-Stars are off to a flying start with three wins in a row.

They defeated Belleville, 4-3, and scorers were Mark Dobson with 2, Wayne Andrews and Mort. Foshay with one each.

They won over Tweed 4-0. Scorers were Mark Dobson with 2, Wayne Andrews and Rick Reid, with singles.

The local Novice team beat Belleville 3-0, with Mark Dobson, Wayne Andrews and Alvin Hubble with one goal each.

Goaltending shutouts were shared by Allan Detlor and Rick Barnard.

Stirling Novices will play in Campbellford on Sunday, at 4.30 p.m. for their next game.

- COMING EVENTS -

CARD PARTY AT CARMEL COMMUNITY HALL

on Wednesday, December 10th, at 8.15 p.m. Lunch served. Everyone welcome. 47-1

NEXT BINGO
STIRLING LEGION HALL
Thurs. Night, Dec. 11
Early Bird Games starting at 7.30 p.m.
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CARD PARTY
WELLMAN'S ORANGE HALL
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6th
at 8.15 p.m., sponsored by Wellman's Women's Institute. Prizes and lunch.. 47-1

SPRING BROOK LOCAL 171

The December meeting of Local 171, of National Farmers' Union will be held December 9th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer. Everyone welcome. 47-1p

TANNER L.O.L., No. 509
CARD PARTY

Friday, December 5th, at 8 p.m., and every first and third Friday during the winter months. Good prizes. Lunch served. Admission 40c. 47-1

CITIZENS' MARCH, DECEMBER 6th TO QUEEN'S PARK FOR MEDICARE

Bus leaves Marmora, 7 a.m., at a cost of $3.50 per person. Everyone welcome. Notify Mrs. Harper Bateman, 395-3910 or Mrs. George Williams, 395-2203. 47-1

SMORGASBORD — DANCING
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School Bus Seat Rules Farce

Seating regulations for school buses are "the biggest farce in the county," a Hastings County trustee charged recently.

Donald Williams, of Stirling, hit at Ontario Department of Transport regulations that allow a bus to carry one-third more passengers than the number for which seats are provided.

"Isn't it a fact there are students standing on our buses?" he asked. "The Department of Transport says we must be strapped into our cars with seat belts, but a school bus can go down a road at 50 miles an hour with students standing in it. If it has to stop suddenly, many will be seriously injured."

Mr. Williams' comments followed a presentation by Earl Clark, Department of Transport area supervisor, who outlined safety precautions to the trustees.

Mr. Clark told the board the department allows a bus to carry one-third more passengers than the number of seats available.

"This means a 48 seat bus can legally carry 64 students", he said.

Students are expected to sit three to a seat, Mr. Clark added. He claimed they could easily be accommodated in this way, although some complained the arrangement was uncomfortable and insisted on standing.

John Bancroft, in charge of transportation for the board, presented statistics for this school year.

He said the board employs 107 operators to transport 9,500 pupils by 285 routes in 189 buses, more than 1,600,000 miles of county roads to school.

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CRUMPETS TOASTMASTER 3¢ OFF (PKG. OF 6) 29¢

CLARK'S FANCY Tomato Juice 48 OZ. TIN 29¢

Fancy AppleSauce 14 OZ. TINS 2 FOR 29¢

Fancy Green Peas 14 OZ. TINS 2 FOR 43¢

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VALLEY FARMS CHOICE French Fries 2 LB. BAG 29¢

SWANSON T.V. CHICKEN DINNER 11 OZ. PKG. 63¢

IGA Fruit Cake

1 LB. 59¢ 2 LB. $1.15 3½ LB. $1.99

SHORTCAKE OR DIGESTIVE PEEK FREAN BISCUITS 1 LB. PKG. 59¢

HUMPTY DUMPTY SALT 'N' VINEGAR POTATO CHIPS 2 7 OZ. PKGS. 89¢

In The Dairy Case

IGA MILD SLICES Cheese 16 OZ. PKG. 65¢

PILLSBURY - BUTTER SCOTCH, CHOC CHIP, SUGAR CHRISTMAS COOKIES 2 15 OZ. PKGS. 89¢

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WHITE — RIEGER WEDDING

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MR. AND MRS. LEONARD OSCAR WHITE

White and yellow 'mums decorated the altar of Bethel United Church, with white satin bows on the pews, November 1st, 1969 when Marlene Mary Rieger and Leonard Oscar White were united in marriage.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Rieger, of Grayson, Saskatchewan, and the groom the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton White, 177 Front Street W., Stirling, Ontario.

Rev. Wilbur Cox officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Craig Watson played the wedding music and accompanied the soloist Mrs. Fred Beckett who sang "The Wedding Prayer, before the ceremony and "I'll Walk Beside You", during the signing of the register.

The bride given in marriage by her father looked lovely in her floor length gown of white satin in A-line styling, round neck line, with lily point sleeves with an inset of flowered design made of Guipere lace. This lace was carried across the bodice to the waist, and a narrow band carried down each side. The detachable cathedral train fell from her shoulder in a circular fashion and was trimmed with the same Guipere lace as on her gown.

Her four tiered nylon illusion shoulder length veil was held in place with a headpiece of a single ring of Guipere lace with small seed pearls and she wore white shoes and gloves. She carried a bouquet of white and yellow gladioli with tiny pink sweetheart roses inserted in the white gladioli.

Mrs. David Harry, Stirling was matron of honour and she was attended by Mrs. Jim Haggerty, sister of the groom and Mrs. Bill White, Peterborough, cousin of the groom.

The attendants all dressed identically in sheath floor length gowns of mint green peau de soie, featuring a round neck, long bell shaped sleeves and a wide sash tied and hung down at the side. They wore a band of the same colour on their head with their hair entwined around it. They wore white shoes and gloves and carried bouquets of yellow gladioli.

The groom was attended by Mr. David Harry, Stirling while the ushers were Mr. Jim Haggerty, of Stirling, brother-in-law of the groom and Mr. Bill White, Peterborough, cousin of the groom. All wore black suits and white carnations. The groom wore a sweetheart rose from the bride's bouquet.

The reception was held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Stirling catered by the Wellman's Women's Institute.

The bride's mother received the guests in an A-line style dress of blue crimplene and she wore brown and white accessories. Her corsage was two white orchids.

She was assisted by the groom's mother in a princess style dress of avocado green brocade and matching hat with brown and white accessories. Her corsage was bronze and yellow daisies.

For her wedding trip the bride chose a beige coat dress of crimplene with long sleeves and she wore brown accessories and her corsage was bronze sweetheart roses.

The young couple will live on the homestead at R.R. 5 Stirling.

Out-of-town guests were present from Grayson, Saskatchewan, Hamilton, Brampton, White River, Trenton, Peterborough, Fort Stewart, Detlor, Wellington, Hillier, Stoco, Bloomfield, L'Amble, Stirling, Harold, Springbrook, Toronto, Cobourg, Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton White entertained the wedding party and a few friends after the rehearsal to a lovely lunch.

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Previous to her marriage a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Howard Munro, Carrying Place, She was assisted by the matron of honour, Mrs. David Harry. A shower was also held at the home of Mrs. Gerald Clancy assisted by Mrs. Jim Pollock and Mrs. Fred Beckett.

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River Valley W.I. News

(By Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Mrs. Ralph Carlisle and Mrs. Geo. Grills conducted two sessions of the Senior Training Course at the River Valley W.I. Centre, on the theme "The Main Dish Makes the Meal".

Twenty-three ladies were in attendance, and nineteen were Institute members.

The course was first presented in October for the leaders of fifteen groups, by the Home Economics Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food and was held in the Legion Hall, in Stirling.

Mrs. Joan Winfield, Food Specialist, from Toronto, demonstrated the recipes in the members' pamphlets. The course was planned to assist homemakers serve satisfying meals.

On Thursday, November 20th, a Favourite Fish Casserole, Corned Beef and Cabbage and Crispy Liver Strips were prepared and cooked. The leaders used an electric fry pan, a deep fryer and a rangette. The value of milk, proteins, vitamins and minerals were all outlined for good nutrition and a chart re meal planning and various shopping pointers were of interest to the group.

At the close, the food was sampled along with a variety of cookies and coffee.

Second Session

The second session was held Tuesday afternoon, November 25th. A whole chicken was carved and cooked Carribbean style, also a Sunday night supper, featuring hard cooked eggs and potato chips.

The leaders spoke briefly re suggestions for the preparation of other recipes in the pamphlet.

At the close of the session, the food was sampled, along with a Waldorf salad, hot buns and a variety of jam.

The Summary Day will be held on Tuesday afternoon, January 13, 1970, when all of the group will attend a resume of their course.

At the close, Mrs. Vernon Harry vonced appreciation to Shirley and Gayle, on behalf of the ladies. The girls had spent much time in preparation of the course and they also provided a nice variety of food for the two lunch periods. Those in attendance thought it was time well spent.

Mount Pleasant

(Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Mrs. Will Jeffs received word of the death of her father, Mr. William J Petherick, on Tuesday, November 25th. He was in his 92nd year. The funeral was held at Zion United Church, Petherick's Corners, on Thursday, November 27th. Among those in attendance from here besides the family were Frank Jeffs, Mrs. Ross Jeffs and Mrs. Ralph Jeffs.

On Saturday evening, November 29th, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended the Grand Decoration of Chivalry at Centennial Secondary School, Belleville. Captain Clayton Burkitt, of Spring Brook and Lt. Col. Nelson B. Wilder, Peterborough, were the recipients of the jewels.

Thirty ladies from Ottawa, Smiths Falls, Napanee, Almonte, Kingston, Belleville, Peterborough, Oshawa Markham, Pickering and other points were also decorated. Over seven hundred people were in attendance which included a large number from the Stirling area.

Monday Night Men's Bowling League

Legion 0 (28); Odds & Ends 7 (44); Maple Leafs 5 (42); Good Guys 2 (42); Wild Willys 5 (47); Alley Cats 2 (28).

High average, Bruce Woodbeck, 230; High triple and single, Ray Poste, 853 and 337.

Good games — Ray Poste 337, 274, 242; Ralph Parks 281, 228; Doug. Scea 273; Wayne Roe 257, 238; Tom Kovack 257; Harold Johnson 244; John Reichert 242; Keith Johnson 229; George Vanderkooy 228; Ralph Scea 226.

Celebrates 89th Birthday

A birthday "At Home" dinner, supper and social evening was celebrated at the home of Mrs. Keitha Aide in honour of her father, Mr. Martin Miller, who celebrated his 89th birthday, on November 18th, one of the oldest residents in the district.

A cake, decorated with 89th Birthday, an open Bible and a psalm, was donated by the Village Bake Shoppe.

Guests attended from McArthur's Mills, Bancroft, Belleville, West Huntingdon, Cannifton and Stirling.

The Davidson boys brought their instruments and played for the evening, which was enjoyed by all.

The newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brenton, R.R. 4, Stirling, were in attendance and were presented with a collection by neighbours and relatives.

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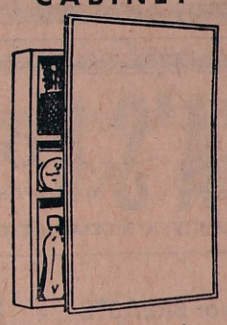

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RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

December 4th. — Christmas Meeting. Hostess, Mrs. J. R. Donohoe.

January 8th, 1970 — Hostess, Mrs. Harry Morrow.

Four Card Parties — January 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th.

Minto

(Mrs. Lindsay Tanner)

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Dort, Misses Bonnie Klinglehasser and Karen Meckly, of Ohio, were week end guests of Mrs. Marguerite Keller and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvyn Scott and girls, of Almonte, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hagerman moved to their new home here on Saturday. We welcome them to our community.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. George Sine and family in the passing of his mother, Mrs. Minnie Sine, on Monday.

Tanner L.O.L. Card Party

The card party sponsored by Tanner L.O.L. was held Friday night with 13 tables in play. The winners were: Ladies' high, Kathy Ketchen; second, Mrs. Glenn Hinds; Men's high, Klinton Ketchen; second, Archie Wickens; door prize, Mrs. Ern. Broadworth. Following cards, lunch was served.

Card Party At Community Hall

A card party was held in Minto Community Hall on Thursday night with six tables in play. Mr. and Mrs. George Sine and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holden were convenors.

The winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Ken Lang; second, Mrs. Leafa Heagle; low, Mrs. Eugene McGee; Men's high, George Sine; second, Paul Heagle; low, Howard Wallace; door prize, Lindsay Tanner. Following cards, lunch was served.

Spring Brook

(Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

Mrs. Fred McKeown spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Les McKeown and Robin, at Marmora.

Mr. Lloyd Sedore is spending a few days this week in Montreal.

A number of folk from our vicinity attended the Decoration of Chivalry bestowed upon Clayton Burkitt and a former member of Spring Brook I.O.O.F., No. 429, Nelson Wilder, Peterborough, at Centennial Secondary School, Belleville, on Saturday.

The Sacrament of Baptism was observed at Spring Brook Church on Sunday morning with Rev. W. Cox officiating. Children baptized were Roseanne Clara Lee daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer, and Dianne Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stiles. The Junior choir rendered an anthem.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sedore, Kim and Kevin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roger Keenan, Belleville, on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reid were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Acker, Oshawa, and attended the wedding of Darlene Pillen, a former resident of Spring Brook, and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Harold Pillen, to Mr. Ron McRae, at Plattsville United Church and the reception following at Holiday Inn, Kitchener. Mr. and Mrs. McRae are honeymooning in Jamaica.

Mrs. Lloyd Sedore, Kim and Kevin, are spending a few days this week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, at Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pitcher, Stirling, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mumby, on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Alf Parker, Menie called at the same home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Boldrick, Steven and Carol, Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mumby on Sunday.

Mount Pleasant

(Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sharp and Kenneth and Keith McConnell attended the 4-H Club Awards Night at Madoc on Friday evening. Mac was chairman for the programme and he also accepted the Hastings County Tri-Banner, which was won at Ottawa Fair for the fourth consecutive year. Keith also received an award.

Despite a heavy fall of snow, forty-one people from the Stirling area enjoyed a bus trip on Monday, December 1st, to Yorkdale Shopping Centre and a sight-seeing trip through Toronto in the evening. Those from here who journeyed to Toronto were: Mrs. Milford Wrightman, Mrs. Lindsay McKeown, Mrs. George Vanderkooy, Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mrs. Mac Sharp, Mrs. Raymond McConnell, Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mrs. Kenneth Weaver, Mrs. Grant Hubble and Mrs. Oscar Merrick.

The Right Use of Time

What seems time wasted to some is viewed by others as time well spent. The difference in viewpoint results from a different sense of what is worth-while activity.

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Through their understanding of the spiritual nature of God and man, students of Christian Science are learning how to make their present experience constructive and harmonious. Whether the demand upon their time is modest or conspicuous, they are learning that it is impossible to prove that, as the Psalmist tells us "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord." — The Christian Science Monitor.

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Caramel Potatoes

Cook 10 unpeeled new potatoes and peel while warm. Put 2½ tablespoons white sugar in a heavy saucepan. Cook over low heat until sugar begins to brown and then add 2½ tablespoons butter. Cook a minute or two to blend together. Add potatoes and shake pan constantly to coat potatoes about 5 minutes.

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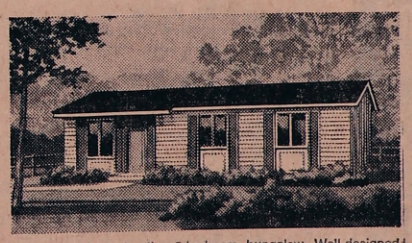

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47-1p Allan Howes

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott, R.R. 1, Stirling, Ont., wish to sincerely thank everyone who made their Golden Wedding Anniversary such a happy occasion at the Hotel Quinte on Sunday, November 16th. A very special thanks to Belleville Chapter No. 55, Eastern Star, and Laurel Rebekah Lodge, Stirling, for the beautiful flowers; and everyone for the many cards of congratulations and gifts received. 47-1p

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I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who remembered me with cards, flowers and personal calls while a patient in Belleville General Hospital and since returning home. A special "thank you" to Father McGarvey, Rev. and Mrs. MacPherson, Drs. Briggs, Douglas, McIntosh and assistant doctors; to our neighbours for their very nice kindnesses; to the nurses for their help and kindnesses.

47-1p Alice Mackay

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank our neighbours, friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness, cards, letters, flowers and personal calls and our neighbours for help given to us at home. Grateful appreciation for excellent hospital care is extended to Dr. Loynes and Dr. Hipwell; also nurses and staff of Level 7.

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Births

JEFFS — Paul and Sally, R.R. 3, Campbellford, are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, Kimberley Ann, at Campbellford Memorial Hospital, on Friday, November 28, 1969, weighing 7 lbs. 10½ oz.; a baby sister for Douglas.

PYEAR — To Larry and Mary Ellen (nee Warren), a son, Philip David, 7 lbs. 14 ozs., at Guelph General Hospital, on Monday, November 24, 1969. 47-1

REID — At Belleville General Hospital, on Tuesday, November 25th, 1969, to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reid, R.R. 4, Stirling, a son, David Laverne. 47-1

Deaths

SINE, Minnie Cecilia — At Belleville General Hospital, on Monday, December 1st, 1969, Minnie Cecilia Runnalls, formerly of R.R. 3, Frankford, in her 92nd year. Beloved wife of the late Thos H. Sine; dear mother of Mrs. Edward (Aletha) McIntyre, Consecon; Mrs. Alfred (Sybil) Jones, Carrying Place; Mrs. John (Mildred) Grills, Mrs. Clayton (Viola) Stapley, Mrs. Chas (Ada) Stapley, Frankford; Mrs. Ernest (Annie) Grills, Stirling; and George Sine, Harold, Ont.

Mrs. Sine is resting at the Hogle Funeral Home, 87 James St., Stirling. Service Thursday, December 4th, at 1.30 p.m. Rev. J. Bruce Small officiating. Interment Sine Cemetery.

WANNAMAKER, William Foster — At the Belleville General Hospital, Thursday, November 27, 1969, William Foster Wannamaker, in his 77th year of 115 Frankford Rd., Stirling. Beloved husband of the late Addie Parks. Dear father of Vernon, Frankford, Mrs. Ray (Hilda) Rose, Stirling, Mrs. Alfred (Hazel) Akins, RR No. 5 Stirling and the late Leonard Wannamaker and brother of Mrs. Thomas (Grace) Draddy, Belleville.

Mr. Wannamaker rested at the Hogle Funeral Home, 87 James St., Stirling. Service Saturday, November 29 at 1.30. Reverend J. Bruce Small officiated.

Interment Fox Cemetery, Eldorado

IN MEMORIAM

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Dollars and Good Sense

by WILLIAM J. MARTIN

This column is a regular weekly feature prepared by the family Financial Councelling Service of the Avco Delta Corporation, P.O. Box 2320, London, Ontario. All questions submitted to the above address will be answered, in print or by return mail. Names will not be used in print However, all questions should be accompanied by a complete name and address.

Dear Mr. Martin: I enjoy your column very much, especially since I'm also a family financial counselor and I thought perhaps you might let me add my two cents worth.

The one thing I've noticed about counseling with families over the years is their reluctance to reveal all, financially. Most of the time you have to dig this information and, of course it's all for their own good. As you well know, if you don't have all the facts, you can't help the family effectively.

I recall one case recently where a husband and wife came to me to work out their financial difficulties. They were in debt quite heavily and needed a crash program to get them back on their feet. I was puzzled however, because there was approximately $10 to $12 unaccounted for each week.

It was only after some probing that the missing money turned up. It seems that the wife was going to the hairdresser each week for a shampoo, set and style at a cost of about $6. This was her relief escape from the pressing problems at home.

The husband, on the other hand, went bowling once a week with the fellows from work. The bowling itself was not expensive, but they always bowled "beer frames," which meant that the husband was usually dropping anywhere from three to six bucks a week.

Now, this doesn't seem much of an expense on an individual basis, but add them up over a month and you've got some $40 which could be utilized in a much more productive way . . . like reducing the outstandings.

I finally convinced the couple that they should give up these "extravagances" until the emergency was over and suggested that they seek free recreational activities that would include the entire family.

I hope this will be of some help to your readers who may be seeking financial counseling. Mrs. C.F.

It certainly should and many thanks for your interest.

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Dec. 27th — 1 p.m., Merchants vs. Jets; 2 p.m., Dairy vs. Chargers.

Jan. 3rd — 1 p.m., Merchants vs. Dairy; 2 p.m., Chargers vs. Jets.

Two of Three Farmers Will Be Forced To Quit

Everett Biggs, deputy minister of the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food, says some two-thirds of the province's 100,000 farmers will have to face economic realities and leave their farms.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Northern Ontario Dairymen's Association, Mr. Biggs said that by 1980 the province's economy will support only 35,000 farmers.

Of the 100,000 farms now in the province, only 504 till more than 600 acres—generally regarded as the minimum acreage necessary to make farming a profitable venture.

Mr. Biggs said that more than 16,000 farmers whose acreage is well below that figure "have the cards stacked against them from the start."

Four per cent of the farms in Ontario account for 35 per cent of the agricultural produce and 36 per cent less than $2,500 a year, he said.

The deputy minister said the answer to farm problems lies not in government subsidies, but in diversification. He said economists have concluded that within the next 10 years some 65,000 farmers will have quit farming.

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River Valley W.I. Card Party

The last Card Party for 1969 was held Friday evening, November 28th, at the Centre with forty-five people in attendance. There were eleven tables in play and seventeen guests from Stirling, Mount Pleasant and Wellman's.

The Historical Research and Current Events group convened the party and provided the refreshments.

The prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies high, Mrs. Ed. Heasman; second, Mrs. J. L. Donohoe; Men's high, Leonard Waterfall; second, Glenn Morrow.

The next card party will be held on January 9th, 1970.

Rylstone

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(Hold Over)

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mumby were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, in Campbellford. Guest of honour for the evening was their cousin, Miss Donna Humphries, R.N., of Calgary.

There was a good attendance at the money shower for Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gray (nee Marie Finch) at the Orange Hall, Petherick's Corners, on Saturday evening. A short programme was enjoyed and lunch was served.

Harry Wright, of Petherick's Corband, at Napanee.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Howard Finch and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Finch and children were Mrs. Jim Graham, her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Walsh, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Irwin, all of Keene; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Irwin, of Brighton, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Irwin, of Peterborough. It was the occasion of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Howard Finch. Congratulations, Mrs. Finch. Another nephew, Earl Irwin, was unable to attend owing to illness.

Ralph Heath spent the week end at Scarborough with his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mason, and attended the Royal Winter Fair and visited his nephew, Ross Fitchett an his wife, in Toronto.

Recent guests of Mr and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family were Mr. and Mrs. Allan McComb, of Wallbridge, and Miss Judy Alexander, of Madoc.

Miss Blanche Gibson, of Campbellford, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Heath.

Recent guests of Mrs. Cora Reid were Mrs. Lindsay Finch, Mrs. Rena Bateman, Mrs. Ellis Jones, Mrs. Tom McKeown and Mrs. Cecil Finch and Mrs. Alan Foote and children, of Belleville.

ners, spent Saturday with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Meiklejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Mitchell, of Wooler, were recent guests of Mrs. Cora Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Jones were week end guests of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hus-

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid and Mrs. Fred McKeown, all of Spring Brook; Mrs. Etta Hailstone, Madoc; Miss Blanche Gibson, of Campbellford, and Mrs. Ralph Heath called on Mrs. Howard Finch on Saturday to extend best wishes on her 80th birthday.

Mrs. Clara Lisle, of Stanwood, spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Spencer, her husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meiklejohn, on Saturday evening.

Local No. 171 National Farmers Union Meeting

The November meeting of Local 171 of National Farmers Union was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Spry and opened with the singing of the Queen.

The correspondence was read; one concerning the baler twine received at harvest time and another on Medicare. Arrangements have been made for a bus to go on December 6th to Queen's Park, in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hagerman of Seymour Local were present and they sold tickets for their annual banquet which was held November 21st.

It was moved by Jean Williams and seconded by Jim Spry that the monthly meeting notices be put in the Stirling paper.

The annual District Banquet was held at Napanee on November 28th.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spencer.

A card of thanks was read by the secretary, Edna Bateman, and Jeanne Williams presented Shirley Reid with a gift in appreciation of her two years as secretary-treasurer. Shirley thanked everyone for their kindness. Murney Bateman thanked Mr. and Mrs. Spry for the use of their home.

Lunch was served and a social hour was enjoyed.

Elaine Local 754 Bowling League

On Tuesday, November 25h, the Offsets took 7 points over the Drop Outs; Turkish Delights 5 to 2 over the Cobra Jets.

Points — Offsets 56; Drop Outs 31; Cobra Jets 32; Turkish Delights 21

Ladies' high single and triple, Roberta Vanderwater 266, 550; high average, Ivy Poste 190.

Men's high single and triple, Roy Lake 261 and 641; high average, Ron McCrory 191.

Other good games — Judy Lake 202; Ruth McCrory 215; Ivy Poste 214; Steve McDowell, 223.

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Guests were greeted at the door by a niece of the couple, Mrs. Barry Crawford of Peterborough and their son Robert Elliott, also of Peterborough. A grandson Master Craig Elliott also assisted by ushering each guest to the receiving line. Mrs. Elliott was presented with a corsage of bronze and yellow 'mums and Mr. Elliott a boutonniere.

Tea was served from a most attractive tea table centred with an appropriately decorated anniversary cake and enhanced with beautiful floral arrangements, gifts of the Belleville Chapter Ontario Eastern Star 55 and the Laurel Rebekah Lodge of Stirling. From two to six, tea was poured by Mrs. Ivan Clare, Mrs. Rex Chapman, Mrs. Roy Heath, Mrs. Alfred Atkins, Mrs. Don Heath, Mrs. Robert Elliott, Mrs W. Cox and Mrs. Don McLaren.

The honored guests received many lovely gifts as well as congratulatory messages from Ontario Prime Minister Hon. John Robarts and Lee Grills M.P. A scroll was presented on behalf of the Provincial Government by Clarke Rollins, Hastings M.P.P. Phone calls of congratulations were also received from Mrs. Elliott's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Heath of Edmonton and from a nephew and wife Mr. and Mrs. Dean Elliott of Minden.

In the evening a family dinner was held at the Sun Luck Gardens.

Bethel UCW

The November meeting of Bethel U.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. O. Jackson, Stirling, on November 27th, at 2 p.m. Mrs. H. Holden opened the meeting with a "Remembrance poem, followed by prayer.

Mrs. F. McGee, interim secretary, read the minutes of the last two meetings and a few thank you notes.

Mrs. J. Carlisle was appointed as programme convenor for the next year A parcel of new clothing and some toys for a small boy were sent. Donations of money were voted for Five Oaks and for the Mission Fund. Birthday money was paid and the offering received and dedicated. The roll call, a verse of Scripture containing the word "Peace" was answered by 28 members. There were also 4 visitors and 2 small children present.

Mrs. E. Ketchen was in charge of the programme and worship service, opening with a poem and prayer. The hymn, "The King of Love" was sung. The Scripture, taken from Philippians 4, was read by Mrs. W. Kellar. Mrs. Ketchen gave the meditation on the theme, "Peace" She also gave a poem "Promise Yourself" and a prayer.

Mrs. J. Carlisle conducted the study on "Education and Home Life in China". This took the form of a dialogue with Mrs. G. Clancy, Mrs. G. Russett, Mrs. G. Sine and Mrs. T. Clements taking part. A discussion followed.

Mrs. W. Kellar conducted a contest, "Christmas Jumbled Words" which was won by Mrs. G. Clancy. Mrs. Ketchen's "Hot Potato Contest was won by Mrs. J. Thompson. Both winners received small prizes. Mrs O. Lightle gave a reading, "At Day's End".

Mrs. T. Clements thanked the hostess and committee. A social time was enjoyed. Members are reminded that the next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. Ktechen on December 10th. Instead of the usual gift exchange, members are asked to donate the money towards gifts for Stirling Manor.

Public School Bowling League

On Tuesday, November 25th, the Hot Shots took all 5 points from the Pin Smashers and the Way Outs were 5 to 0 winners over the Flintstones.

Points — Hot Shots 35; Way Outs and Flintstones 26; Pin Smashers 25.

Bantam Division:

The Bantam bowlers rolled some real good games this week. Ricky Clements put together games of 174 and 169 for the high double of 343 and boosted his average 5 points to 131. Terry McGee had the high single of 185 and with his other game of 157 had a double of 342. Ronnie Edgar had 285 double(154 and 131); Robby Clements games of 121 and 113 and Paul Scea 102. Debbie Montgomery had the girls' high single of 124 and double of 217 and her average of 106 is high.

Junior Division:

Pearl Hum had games of 166 and 160 for high single and high double of 326 and also has high average of 146.

Lloyd Robson had high single of 170 for the boys and David King high double of 306 and high average of 155.

Other good games were David King, 162 and 144; Michael Montgomery 138 and 136; Lloyd Robson 133; Bill Seeley 183 and 130; and Robbie Hatton 130.

Y.B.C. crests won this week were Terry McGee 175 single and 300 double; Ricky Clements, 300 double, and Lloyd Robson, 300 double.

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Ted Foley Top Cheesemaker

Champion cheesemaker at the British Empire Dairy Show in Belleville last week is Ted Foley, maker at the Foxboro Cheese Factory just north of Belleville in Thurlow Township.

Mr. Foley won the honour with a June cheese in the open class with a score of 98.35 points.

More than 140 cheese were entered in the show which was held at 133 Front Street.

The show was held in conjunction with the 42nd annual convention of Central Ontario Chesemakers.

This is the second time Mr. Foley has taken top honours at the Belleville show. He was top maker at the show in 1966. Douglas Rowe, of Warkworth, was champion maker last year

Reserve champion in this year's show was Yves Leroux, of Balderson, Ont., in the Perth area.

Mr. Foley took first place in four of the six open classes for large round and block cheese. Douglas Rowe, of Warkworth, won the open September class while Donald Deline, of Ivanhoe, took first in the Stilton class.

Mr. Foley also won first place in the British Empire class and in the Mature class. Reserve champion, Yves Leroux won the manufacturer's class.

Ross Lain, of Stirling, won the Hastings County block cheese class and also took the prize for the best finished cheese. Donald Pollock, of Campbellford, won the factory cheese display.

Keith Hubbs, Hastings County, took the Bank of Montreal award as the fieldman whose area factories won the greatest amount of prize money in the regular classes.

This year's cheese show attracted entries from more than 20 makers across Ontario.

In its heyday, during World War two, 60 or more cheesemakers, many of them from Quebec, competed in the show, with a peak of 500 cheese being entered. Cheese factory amalgamations have sharply reduced the number of makers, although the number of cheese entered this year was comparable to 1968.

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The Lessons Of Vietnam

To most Americans, the principal lesson of Vietnam is crystal clear today: the United States should not have become involved in an unholy crusade in Southeast Asia, fighting a shadowy enemy whose troops not long ago had expelled the French colonialists from Vietnam.

To some misguided Americans, however, there were other important factors. General William Westmoreland admits that Vietnam may not go down as the most glorious chapter in American combat history, but he hastens to add that the lessons and devices coming out of that war should revolutionize the battlefield of the future.

Every so often such strange confessions come from the Pentagon, presumably because professional soldiers grow so immune to the concept of mass killing, they do not realize how shocking it is to the average citizen.

Gen. Westmoreland admits, in fact, that the military experiments the U.S.A has been conducting in Vietnam have been successful. The new sensors to keep track of enemy movements, the infra-red, laser and night vision devices, the listening gadgets that keep track of the Viet Cong and have enabled U.S. forces to raise its kill-rate - - these are the lessons of Vietnam the Pentagon boast about in their speeches.

But to the rest of the world, this kind of talk is only disgusting, for the Vietnam war was a very unequal contest indeed from the moment former President Lyndon Johnson began building the U.S. force there to 600,000 men on the ground and in warships offshore. It would have been possible to test and develop the latest killing devices used against Vietnamese during military exercises - - as the U.S.A. will have to do once its combat forces are withdrawn from Southeast Asia. To use Vietnam as a military testing ground is horrendous, and to boast about it is utterly despicable.

Ten Pin League

On Saturday, November 29th, the Hot Shots (23) took two games for 4 points, but the Slow Pokes got the total pinfall along with their one game, boosting their total to 40.

John Reichert bowled the high single of 186 and Ralph Scea bowled three good gades (176, 174 and 167) for the high triple of 517.

Erika Schleifer had high single of 138 and high triple of 384.

High averages are Art Schleifer 165 and Erika Schleifer 136.

Other good games were John Reichert 153; Art Schleifer 169 and 151; and Jack Wilson 158.

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At Local Churches

Sunday, Dec. 7th

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Christ Church, Glen Miller :
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St. John's Stirling:
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7.00 p.m. — Evensong

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
REV. D. C. MacPHERSON B.A., Th.B.

St. Andrew's, Stirling:
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11.15 a.m. — Sunday School
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Reflections On Woman -- A Contemporary View

What is woman? Is she Indira Gandhi, Prime Minister of India, concerned about the unequal distribution of wealth? Is she a middle class woman caring for her home, baking and sewing for her group's teas and bazaars? Is she Mother Theresa, now in India, who spends her days helping to gather and bury the bodies of those who died on the streets in the night? Is she Lady Barbara Ward Jacbson, advisor to Popes? Is she Carolina de Jesu, who lives in the slums, collects rags, etc., to eke cut an existence? Is she a graduate student, a Sister in Brazil, one of the girls in the James-Bond-world, a fashion plate, or one of those in world gossip news? From these descriptions, Dr. Edith Peterkin, Chief of Paediatrics at Belleville General Hospital, advised the Belleville and District University Women that it is dangerous to generalize; cliches about woman in particular (or anything) indicate the prejudices of the speaker.

The modern woman depicted by: "I want to be me; I want to be fulfilled", is often pursuing personal goals apart from, and possibly detrimental to her family. This woman is envious and resentful of the man's world and his achievements.

Simone de Beauvoir, one of the many authors to whom Dr Peterkin referred, deplores that woman seemingly is either on a pedestal of virtue or cast down with all evil at her feet.

One needs a sense of history and humour when referring to woman as often described in the Bible. Though St. Paul is often maligned for his supposed anti-feminist attitude, yet in the early Christian church there was a place for the widow, the deaconess.

Men tend to fill the world with labour whereas women fill it with caring. Any person with a soul and body can have courage, can show heroic strength or be humble and lowly. Woman's feelings and anonymity are vital.

Though there are fewer women of genius, yet human relationships are not an engineering process. An infant, deprived of mother love, mourns more at the loss than at any other age. There is a creative process transmitted by the mother to the child that being is more important than doing.

Silence is an essential element in the lives of all "How beautiful is the word unspoken". There is a silence of anger, loneliness, suffering, fear, of a cathedral, a desert, a mountain peak. The greatest moments of our lives are lived out in silence, Dr. Peterkin said.

Christendom as Christendom was, is no more. Theology on the campus has been dethroned. The world community is waiting for theologically enlightened women; not secularly learned but religiously illiterate. We need the woman poet, musician, artist, those who know the value of a sprig of lilac, those who dare to deepen the questions before us, who live at the cutting edge of life at the point of breakthrough. In this age of conformity, we must hold fast to our own convictions. A Sister, in New France who devoted her life to caring for others said on her deathbed: "I have nothing left, it has all been given away." Such is the ultimate of feminine existence, Dr. Peterkin concluded.

At the conclusion Dr. Peterkin, who had been introduced by Mrs. W. A. Thomas and thanked by Mrs. J. N. Johnston, answered questions then invited the women to look at the books she had with her and on which she based her talk.

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Many Activities Planned By Stirling Branch of Royal Canadian Legion

The last regular meeting of 1969 was held Tuesday, December 2nd, with President deJong in the chair. Favourable Standing Committee reports were received and discussed.

Poppy Fund

Cde. Fred Heasman, Chairman of the Poppy Committee presented the final report on the Poppy Fund campaign. Comparing well with past years, the overall contributions amounted to $724.25, of which about 60 per cent covers the cost of wreaths and poppies, giving thereby to the disabled veterans who make them, a source of employment and income. The remainder is placed in the local Branch 228 Poppy Fund for direct assistance to any veteran in this area whose circumstances may require it.

Stirling Legion, said Cde. Heasman, is deeply grateful to those who purchased wreaths, to the schools, and to the people in general who through the Poppy Fund, assist in meeting the needs of veterass, who though they returned home, left part of their health and strength on the battlefield.

Membership

Dues for 1970 are rolling in and Membership Chairman, Cde. Herb. Wall, is forecasting 100 plus for the coming year.

As of now, the Ontario Provincial Command is looking for the 100,000th Ontario member and the branch submitting this particular membership will be especially honoured. It could be Stirling.

It should never be forgotten that membership in the Royal Canadian Legion is not easily come by, since it calls for service in the country's armed forces. It is a proud man who can claim it as a right and who is still ready to "grasp the torch flung from failing hands and hold it high". There is much that concerns the well being of this country that the Legion must always stand for. So, troops, get in there, and stay in there.

Election of Officers

In accordance with a new regulation passed at the Dominion Conference 1969, the election of officers has been deferred until May of 1970. The new ruling calls for the standardization of the time of the election of all officers across the Legion. Elections that have been held for so long at the year's end will henceforth be in Spring.

Christmas Draw

Pull tickets are on sale now by all members of the Legion. The Draw will take place at a social get-together on Friday, December 19th. For from 5c—25c, take a crack at the $50.00 and $25.00 prizes.

Bingo

The Legion and friends are having a lot of fun at the games held this season at the Legion Hall. The Snowball Game is now $55.00 and there is still room for more players. (See advt.).

New Year's Eve

Tickets for the annual New Year's Eve Party are now on sale. The number of tickets available is strictly limited and they will be held for regular Legion members until December 19th only. See Cde. Ray Tanner now.

Euchre Party Proves Succssful

Stirling Lawn Bowling Club held a successful euchre party on Thursday night at Stirling Lumber Ltd. There were eighteen tables in play.

High score for the ladies went to Mrs. Bill Prest and for the gents to Roy LaChappelle. Consolation prizes went to Mrs. Martha Wood and Bob Montgomery.

Following the games, refreshments were served. Mrs. Arthur Loucks and Mrs. Ted Barnard convened the party.

Girls' Hockey Game Saturday

Stirling Girls' Hockey team, "Ken Sine Fuels" will play their next home game at the Stirling Arena on Saturday, December 13th, at 6.30 p.m. Campbellford will provide the opposition.

Last Saturday, the Stirling girls played to a 2-2 tie against Lakefield. Susan Wright scored both goals for Stirling.

$50.00 Cash Prizes For Contest In Christmas Lighting

Fifty dollars in cash will be offered for prizes in an exterior lighting contest for the Christmas Season according to an announcement by the Stirling Public Utilities Commission. The prize money will be divided, $25.00; $15.00 and $10.00 and will be for residential exterior decorations only.

The co-operation of the citizens of Stirling is invited to make the Village attracive in the festive season. Plan now to "light up" for Christmas.

BURPERS, "ATTENTION"

Iva Ayrhart and Margaret Ward were in charge of the chuck wagon last Thursday at Senior Citizens and did a good job. Pres. Fred thanked them and informed us that all was in order for the big turkey feed this Thursday, at 12.30 sharp. Don't forget your knife, fork, spoon, mug and plate. Especially your upper and lower ones. Past Pres. George will be the official burper, so if you need burping — contact George.

Shopping List

A sheet for the bed of a river,
A ring for the finger of scorn,
A shoe for the foot of a mountain,
A hinge for the gait of a horse,
A grave for the dead of the night,
A glove for the hand of fate.

Wanna Feel Good — Try This Tomorrow

Just say I will exercise my soul in three ways today — I will do somebody a good turn and not get found out. I will do at least two things I do not want to do, just for exercise. I will not show anyone that my feelings are hurt; they may be hurt, but today I will not show it.

Dis Ole Scribe

Mr. R. D. French Dies Suddenly

Mr. Reginald David French, of 76 St. James St., Stirling, and formerly of East York, died suddenly in Belleville General Hospital on Saturday, December 6th, 1969. He was in his 66th year.

Mr. French is survived by his wife, the former Winnifred Lorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. French have been residents of Stirling for only the past two months.

The funeral service was held from the Trull Funeral Home, 1111 Danforth Ave., Toronto, on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. M. J. Caswell, Stirling, officiated. Interment was in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Toronto.

Santa Claus On Annual Visit

Santa Claus has come and gone for another year so far as the Community Christmas Tree is concerned for about five hundred boys and girls of Stirling and community met him here on Saturday afternoon. He came as a guest of the Stirling Chamber of Commerce and was given a rousing welcome by the large crowd assembled.

The weather was ideal for the event and the children gathered at the four corners to meet Jolly Old St. Nick.

Arriving at the tree, Santa and his helpers proceeded to give each boy and girl a bag of treats, after which a free show was provided for the children at Stirling Theatre. While the children were enjoying the show the parents were left free to do their Christmas shopping and the local merchants report business as being very good.

The event was very successful and the various committees in charge deserve every praise and are thankful to all who contributed to its success.

Rotary Turkey Bingo Successful

The turkey bingo, sponsored by the Rotary Club in the Stirling Theatre, on Tuesday night, December 9th, was well attended and approximately forty-eight turkeys were given away as prizes.

Door prizes were won as follows: 1st prize $25.00, John Mouck, Stirling; 2nd prize $15.00, Mrs. J. L. Donohoe, Stirling, R.R. 4; 3rd prize, $10.00, Mrs. George Noble, Stirling.

Honoured On 80th Birthday

The family of Mr. Frank Keating honoured him on his 80th birthday on November 30th. His two sons, Ray and Ralph and daughters, Mrs. Gerald Fraser and Mrs. Alma Loshow ,their children and grandchildren, numbering over thirty, visited him during the afternoon and evening. Several friends and neighbours also called and spent a social time.

Bert Jones Wins Top Awards For Bus Sales

Congratulations are extended to Bert Jones, of Bert Jones Bus Sales Limited, who was the recipient of two outstanding awards at the International Blue Bird Bus Dealers' Convention held recently at Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. Jones won the President's Award for outstanding representation during the year 1969. He was also successful in exceeding his quota and was presented with a "Quota Buster's Club" plaque. This is a special award for achieving his sales goal during 1969. This is the sixth year in a row that he has won these high honours.

He received his trophies at the Atlanta Convention.

Roy Tucker, of town, and Brian Goodwin, sales representative for Northern Ontario, accompanied him to the Convention.

Highest Decoration In Odd Fellows Presented To Clayton Burkitt

In the presence of high dignitaries and members of all branches of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, as well as friends and relatives of the recipients, the Grand Decoration of Chivalry was conferred upon Captain Clayton Burkitt, Spring Brook, and Lt. Col. Nelson B. Wilder, Peterborough, and the Decoration of Chivalry on thirty Ontario members of the Rebekah Order. The event was held at Centennial Secondary School, Belleville, on Saturday, November 29th, with over 700 people in attendance.

Impressive Ceremony

The impressive ceremony was sponsored by Spring Brook Lodge, No. 429; Stirling Encampment, No. 80; Belleville Canton, No. 8; Stirling Lodge, No. 239; Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211; and Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodges and Encampments in the Peterborough area.

The decoration was in recognition of the outstanding services of the recipients to their fellow men. Patriarch George Carlisle was chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Following the colourful ceremony, refreshments were served by the ladies of Laurel Rebekah Lodge.

A complete list of the staff for the Grand Decoration and Decoration of Chivalry may be found on page seven of this issue.

General Meeting St. Paul's U.C.W.

(Luella Bronson, Press Reporter)

The general meeting of St. Paul's U.C.W. was held on Tuesday evening beginning with a pot luck supper.

In the absence of Mrs. Donald Williams, the vice-president, Mrs. Allan Wells, presided opening with a poem and prayer.

Mrs. Bruce Stapley, Mrs. Hamilton Donnan and Mrs. Lulu Harlow conducted a most impressive devotional service, based on "The Light of the World", being symbolized with lighted candles.

Mrs. Harry Waite and Mrs. Grant Richardson gave a similar message in song, "Christmas Carols."

Reports were heard from Secretary Mrs. William McMullen and Mrs. W. Harlow, Treasurer. A letter was read from the Overseas Relief, giving thanks for past donations of clothing for Korea, but now clothing was no longer needed by the people of that country.

Mrs. Wells reminded those on committees of the Monday forenoon gathering for pre-school children and their mothers of the area who were either newcomers or lonely type, to join in fellowship with those who care for others.

Mrs. J. L. Good reported on the clothing and bake sale the Bethany Unit held downtown on Friday. This money will be used for charity and children's needs.

The January meeting will be held on the 6th, with the devotional service to be taken by Unit 5; program Unit 3; lunch, Unit 2; AOTS supper, Unit 4.

Evening's Programme

The evening's programme was a pageant, given by the River Valley group, opening with a reading by Mrs. David Duffin, "Keep Christmas Today," with Mrs. Jack Bush as commentator. The pageant was portrayed by the parents of the Christ Child, Mrs. Roy Irvine and Mrs. Norman Rosebush, as they watched carefully over the babe in the manger of hay. Many came to see after they heard the good news.

Others taking part were Mrs. Glenn Bush, Mrs. Jack Kane, Mrs. Glenn Brooks, Mrs. Claire West, Mrs. Stanley Irvine, Mrs. Ernest Carr, Mrs. James Boughen, Mrs. Ralph Utman, Mrs. Maurice Clancy.

All joined in singing Christmas carols, with Mrs. Philip Conley as pianist. A lighted pyramid was formed by some of the group, each giving "What Christmas Means to Me," which summed up as what Christmas is meant to be — words of wisdom, deeds of kindness, light the world with love. Mrs. Jack Bush closed this beautiful candlelight service with prayer, followed by prayer by Mrs. Allan Wells.

50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on the evening of Wednesday, December 17th, in the Warsaw Orange Hall, for friends and neighbours. No gifts, please. 48-1p

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burkitt In Car Crash

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burkitt, of Spring Brook, were admitted to Belleville General Hospital late Friday afternoon, following a two-car crash west of Madoc. The other car involved was driven by Sharon Phillips, of Madoc.

According to latest reports, Mr. and Mrs. Burkitt are progressing satisfactorily.

Mr. Burkitt was scheduled to enter hospital on Sunday to undergo major surgery.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Albert Davis, of Brockville, has returned home, having spent the past few days with Marguerite and Miss E. Dier.

Mr. Everett Cooke, Stirling, and Mrs. Bill Nelson, Trenton, returned on Tuesday, after attending the funeral of their brother-in-law, Mr. Leslie Lee, at Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nelson, Trenton.

Merrie Bowlers

November 26th

High single and average, Barb Noble, 263 and 189; high triple, Bessie Hewton 597.

Over 200 — Barb. Noble 263; Mildred Fraser 229; Grace Donohoe 220; Marg. Keating 240; Marion Palmer 224; Helena Oosting 217; Bessie Hewton 246; Linda Barrons 215.

Points — Moonshiners 5; Drags 2; Skylarks 5; Apollos 2.

December 3rd

High single and triple, Ruth Glover, 269 and 653; high average, Barb. Noble 188.

Over 200 — Ruth Glover 269, 208; Isabel Hutcheon 244, 212; Marg. Keating 223; Linda Barrons 209, 203; Barb. Noble 204; Donna Fargey 210; Willy deJong 208.

Points — Skylarks 7; Apollos 5; Moonshiners 2.

Many New Books On Library Shelves For Your Reading Pleasure

Stirling Public Library has just received some new books to brighten the shelves for the Christmas holiday season. Among many others on the fiction shelves, we have "A Whiff of Death", by Isaac Isimov. This absorbing mystery is by one of the foremost scientific writers of our time — his accurate knowledge of the environment of a university, and his understanding of human nature give this book a memorable quality.

"Rosy Is My Relative", by Gerald Durrell is an "almost true" story by the auther of "Two is the Bush", and is a comic account of the inheritance — Rosy, the elephant — bequeathed to Adrian Rookwhistle at the turn of the century, and the adventures and misadventures of finding a circus home for Rosy.

"Quota", by Vercors — This is a fascinating satirical look at the economics of a mythical government, and the result when a reasonable system is carried on to an ultimate conclusion.

"Collected Stories", by Muriel Spart — This volume is by one of the greatest storytellers of the present day, and includes some of her previously published stories and several new ones — each a vivid picture of life.

For more serious reading, Aleksander L. Solzhenitsyn's "Cancer Ward" is a new title. This book, suppressed in Russia, is widely taken to be an allegory of life under Stalin, and is a powerful and poetic novel by the writer of "The First Circle".

For the young person interested in life in Canada's early days, "The Boy With An R In His Hand", by James Beaney, will give a vivid picture of life in the early nineteenth century York, and the type-riot at William Lyon Mackenzie's printing office.

Of interest to every reader, young and old, is William Toye's "The St. Lawrence" — the history of the greatest inland sea-route in the world; full of anecdote and incident, and enhanced by well chosen illustrations.

Those interested in Canadiana will be delighted to look through "Bartlett's Canada" with reproductions of William Henry Bartlett's famous engravings and text by Janice Tyr-

A good collection of non-fiction books have arrived from the Regional Library, and so if your hobbies involve raising tropical fish, collection gems, rocks or coins, making wood furnishings for your home, amateur photography, or other fields, browse and you may find just the right book to help you enjoy your chosen pursuit.

Friday night films and Saturday story hour are now in full swing, and our children's shelves, too, have many new books all ready for the holidays, including books on sports, adventure, mystery, and animals — so, Happy Reading!

Local Residents In Hospital

Patients in Belleville General Hospital include David Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Faulkner, and Miss Angela Bird, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bird.

Observe 55th Anniversary

On November 25th, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Stapley quietly observed their 55th Wedding Anniversary.

They were very much surprised on Saturday evening when their family gathered at their home in honour of the happy occasion.

About twenty-seven persons enjoyed an evening of visiting and piano and vocal entertainment supplied by the grandchildren.

Besides the many cards from friends, Mr. and Mrs. Stapley were each presented with a wool sweater from the family and borg bedroom mats from the grandchildren. Each expressed their thanks for the gifts, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Those present were from Campbellford, Marmora, Stirling, North Bay, Ajax, Oshawa and Port Hope.

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Bantam Division:

The highest game bowled Saturday was by Dianna Barrie, which earned her 4 Y.B.C. singles crests (100, 125, 150, 175) and she also gets her 250 double. Girls' high double was Debbie Montgomery's 270 and she also has high average of 109.

Boys' high single, double and average, Ricky Clements 173, 274 and 131.

Other good games — Debbie Montgomery 141 and 129; Jo-Anne Valchar 120 and 120; Paul Scea 118 and 109; Robby Clements 106,

Junior Division:

Girls' high single, Karen Meeks 156; high double and average, Pearl Hum, 270 and 145.

Boys' high single, double and average ,David King, 164, 316 and 155.

Other good games — David King 154; Lloyd Robson 129 and 128; Bill Seeley 148; Pearl Hum 140 and 130; Steve Benson 149 and 137; Don Wannamaker 127.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1969

Do You Remember?

— TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO —

ISSUE DEC. 7th, 1944

Elmer Post received an acclamation as Reeve of Huntingdon Township.

Dr. E. A. Carleton, Stirling, was elected President of the Hastings and Prince Edward Medical Association.

Miss Mary Lanigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Richardson, an Upper School graduate of Stirling High School, has been awarded the first Carter Scholarship for Hastings County, valued at $100.00.

Hastings P.C.'s Reaffirm Faith In Rollins

Clarke Rollins received his Christmas present from the Progressive Conservatives of Hastings Wednesday night — their unanimous approval to once again represent them come Ontario election time.

More than 400 supporters trekked from the four corners of the sprawling riding to wrap the gift in an acclamation labelled with a record 48 nominations.

They presented it to him with a standing ovation at Club Cedars in Cannifton — an event which for some meant a 100-mile hike from winter-bound farms and hamlets in the deep reaches of Quinte back country.

For Mr. Rollins it was a mass reaffirmation of local party loyalty for 10 years at Queen's Park — the occasion's spirit emphasized by the fact no election is in the foreseeable future.

Riding party president Ken Smith stressed the convention did not signal election preparations at Queen's Park. The party's provincial executive had been eager that all constituency organizations hold nominations as early as last spring he said.

Highway Minister George Gomme, guest speaker for the rally, was equally emphatic when asked if the Robarts government already was contemplating going to the country so soon after the 1967 Ontario election.

"No. I don't think so — I hope not," he laughed.

With the stress of a campaign far removed, the convention relaxed into a near-testimonial of Mr. Rollins and his political stewardship.

The burly Bancroft MPP came up through the ranks of local North Hastings politics and is a former warden of the county. He first entered the provincial arena in 1959 by winning representation of East Hastings, then roughly half of Hastings County, including a slice of Belleville.

With redistribution in the mid-1960s his contituency was redrawn to exclude Belleville, the urbanized Bay of Quinte shoreline west to Trenton and include nearly all of Hastings County.

In every election during the past decade he has held the riding handily for the Conservatives,, a key political figure in tbe hig county constituency.

County Warden Donald Rodgers summed up the atmosphere of last night's event when he told Mr. Rollins:

"I would like to publicly thank you — I can assure you there are many, many things that most people are not aware of that Clarke has done to assist — not only local government (councils) — but the county government.

Mr. Gomme discarded much of a prepared speech to recount Mr. Rollins' Queen's Park service — and to boost fervor of local party workers on the MPP's behalf.

"You've done a great service to yourselves in making him your candidate," he told delegates.

"Each and every one of you is going to work whenever the clarion calls, to see that he's elected," declared the highways minister.

There was even an accolade from Belleville's Chamber of Commerce.

Jack Ireland, outgoing chamber president and president of the federal Hastings Progressive Conservative Association, presented Mr. Rollins with a scroll for a contribution to the city's industrial growth.

Mr. Ireland noted Belleville's recent pace of industrialization — events he dated from 1962 when, he said Mr. Rollins personally assisted in obtaining 53 acres of land from the highways department. South of the Macdonald-Cartier Freeway the bloc became Belleville's first industrial Park, said Mr. Ireland and was "actually the start" of the city's current success story.

But the biggest tribute of the night came from the delegates.

Representing 27 riding associations, many had travelled more than 100 miles to vote at the meeting. More than 90 had driven to Bancroft where they picked up buses to drive them to Cannifton, said constituency president Smith.

Nomination cards were passed among the delegates and returned to convention organizers with little delay.

The nominations totalled 48 — all for Mr. Rollins.

The MPP covered a broad range of county topics in his acceptance speech — particularly emphasizing the role local governments played in community life.

Pollution control, he said, had been among controversial issues in the riding — particularly at Moira Lake.

However, the lakeside community of Madoc now was working on a control program with the Ontario Water Resources Commission.

"I'm hopeful when this program has been completed it will be satisfactory to all concerned and that all the controversial problems will be cleared away," said Mr. Rollins.

He also urged the party organization to strive for a program next summer aimed at young people.

Funeral of William J. Petherick

One of the area's oldest residents, William J. Petherick, who spent his entire lifetime in the Campbellford area, died at Campbellford Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, November 25, 1969, in his 92nd year. He had been in failing health for more than a year.

The late Mr. Petherick was born in Seymour Township, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Petherick. His wife, the former Maude Cleuga, predeceased him. A retired farmer, he was a member of Zion United Church, Petherick's Corners.

Surviving are two daughters, Gladys (Mrs. Douglas Barnum), of Campbellford, and Cora (Mrs. William Jeffs), R.R. 3, Stirling, and two sons, Morley Petherick, of Campbellford, and Aylmer Petherick, of R.R 2, Campbellford. Also surviving is a brother, Albert Petherick, of Campbellford, 12 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by two sisters, Mrs. Mazodann Chaplin and Mrs. Etta Irwin, and by a brother, Daniel T. Petherick.

The late Mr. Petherick rested at the Weaver Funeral Home until Thursday, November 27th, when the funeral service was conducted from Zion United Chruch at 2 p.m. Interment was in Zion Cemetery.

The Rev. Gordon Whitehorne conducted the service.

Pallbearers were William and Eldon Petherick, Paul and Howard Jeffs, Ralph Erskine and Archie Zagrodney. Flower bearers were Maurice and Walter Brunton, Ross, Murray and Melville Petherick, Jack Watson, Gerald Barnum, Cliff Gibson and Raymond Beggs.

Funeral of Alexander Tanner

The funeral for Alexander Tanner was held from the Hogle Funeral Home, Stirling on Thursday afternoon, November 27.

The service by Rev. J. Bruce Small who also said the committal rites in Carmel cemetery.

The bearers were Earl Horton, David Hollinger, Roswell Reid, Fred Heasman, Harry Jones and John Eaton.

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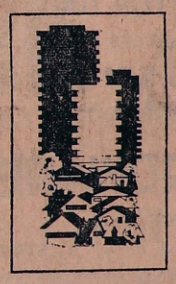

Tenants should receive their reductions on or before December 31. Many tenants who vacated premises earlier in the year will have already received their reductions.

Here is what should happen:

IF YOU ARE A LANDLORD...

You must pay the full reduction to tenants who have occupied your premises throughout 1969. Payment must be made on or before December 31, 1969.

A tenant who moved in during the year and is still occupying your premises must receive one-twelfth of the total reduction for each month of tenancy. It must be paid on or before December 31.

A tenant who moved out during the year must receive a similarly proportionate amount within 30 days of the date he terminated his tenancy or on December 31, whichever is earlier.

If a tenant is in arrears, the tax reduction may be deducted from such arrears. However, the reduction **must not** be withheld because of damages or losses.

IF YOU ARE A TENANT...

You should receive your reduction from your present landlord on or before December 31, 1969.

If you moved out of an apartment during the year and have not yet received your share of the reduction, you should contact your former landlord immediately to make sure he knows where to send your payment.

Tenants in apartment buildings such as duplexes and highrises are usually eligible for the tax reduction. Tenants of flats or basement apartments in houses may not qualify because the premises they rent are not separately assessed. For example, roomers are not eligible. If you are unsure of your status or eligibility, contact your municipal tax office.

IF YOU ENCOUNTER PROBLEMS...

You should either telephone Toronto 363-7501 or write the Municipal Subsidies Branch, Department of Municipal Affairs, 801 Bay Street, Toronto 181. Officials are available to assist you.

Pamphlets outlining details of the 1969 tax reduction system can be obtained on request.

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River Valley W.I. has four Life Members and thirty-two annual members this year.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to all who remembered me with cards and personal calls while a patient in Belleville Hospital; a special thanks to Mount Pleasant U.C.W. for their gift.

48-1 Norman McConnell

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbours for calls, cards, acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement in the loss of our brother the late John F .Haggerty, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haggerty, West Huntingdon, who passed away at Civic Hospital, Ottawa, November 28th, 1969.

48-1p Sisters and Brothers

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to our neighbours, friends and relatives for the lovely cards, floral tributes and kind expressions of sympathy and all who helped in any way at the time of the passing of a dear father and grandfather. Sincerely,

Cora and Bill Jeffs
48-1 and family

CARD OF THANKS

I would like once again to thank all those who visited me and sent cards and flowers to me while I was in the hospital. I would also like to thank my neighbours and Cecil Macklin for their many kind deeds Your thoughtfulness was very much appreciated.

48-1p Gordon W. Bailey

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Foster Wannamaker would like to take this opportunity to thank our relatives, friends and neighbours for all their messages of comfort, acts of kindness shown us in our recent bereavement of a kind and loving father and grandfather; for the cards, floral tributes, donations to the Ontario Heart Foundation and the Canadian Cancer Society. Your help and understanding is appreciated more than words can convey.

Vernon, Hilda, Hazel, Nora,
48-1p Grace and families

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to say a sincere "thank you" to all my relatives and friends for gifts, cards, flowers and personal calls I received during my stay at Belleville and Kingston Hospitals.

48-1 Connie Donohoe

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who kindly remembered me with cards, get well messages and flowers while in Belleville and Kingston Hospitals. Wishing you all the Season's Greetings.

48-1p Ethel Mumby

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to sincerely thank our friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness, floral tributes and messages of sympathy and donations to the Heart Fund at the time of our loss of a dear husband, father and grandfather, and to Rev. Small for his words of comfort to us. Your thoughtfulness will long be remembered.

48-1p Myrtle Tanner and family

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to friends, relatives, Carmel Community, Minto and Frankford, kind neighbours for the many floral tributes, cards, donations to the Heart Foundation and messages of sympathy shown to us in the passing of a loving Mother and Grandmother. A special thanks to Rev. J. Bruce Small, Rev. J. Weese, Dr. Wm. Hipwell, the nurses and staff of Green Acres Nursing Home and Belleville Hospital; also to the Hogle Funeral Home for their efficient service.

The family of the late
48-1p Minnie C. Sine

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to try to thank all the many kind and thoughtful people for their many cards, letters, toys, personal and telephone calls and treats of all kinds while Billy was in the hospital and since his return home. Special thanks to the very kind and thoughtful staff of 4th level for their wonderful care. Also thanks to Drs. Briggs and Green and for visits of the Reverends Cox and Caswell; also thanks to the kind and thoughtful neighbours for their help and offers of help which were gratefully appreciated and to those who are helping with the chores. It all means so much. Thanking you all and a very Happy and Prosperous New Year to everyone.

48-1p Nora Cooke

Wednesday Night Ladies' League

December 3rd —

Wingdings 2 (41); Hit & Miss 2 (49); Turtles 5 (42); Mudhens 5 (36).

Group "A" — High single and triple, Ivy Poste, 240 and 610; high average, Sylvia Edgar, 191.

Group "B" — High single and triple, Betty Brown, 213 and 572.

200 and over, Roberta Vanderwater 212; Sylvia Edgar 216; Betty Brown 213 and 201; Ivy Poste 226 and 240.

Local Institute Members Speak At C.H.S.S., Madoc

Mrs. Roy Bush and Mrs. Roy Tucker, curators of the River Valley Tweersmuir History, recently accepted the invitation of Mrs. R. Richardson, teacher at Centre Hastings Secondary School, Madoc, to attend her afternoon classes to talk about Historical Research and to display historical items and books, among them the Tweedsmuir History. Later they were received by the students and teacher, Mrs. Murphy, of the Home Economics room.

THE MESSENGER

by Savandrola

This Enoch never walked with God;
He walked alone.
In misery and in poverty's despair,
In sickness and half blinded too;
Confused with life.
Perchance only blasphemy, all he knew
Of the Eternal.
I do not know, but this I know-
He was a messenger of the One-
A message told him in his mute way
Of silent want and yet at times
He cursed his fellow man in hopeless rage.
But still a messenger in every sense,
Christ's words written on sacred scroll
"Insomuch as ye have done it unto the least of these my brethren
Ye have done it unto me."
These words a two edged sword
With double meaning.
To-day Enoch exists — To morrow?
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* * *

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Spring Brook

(Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

Owing to the inclement weather there were only five tables of cards at the W.I. card party at the Harold Hall on Tuesday evening. Ladies' high was Mrs. George Williams; consolation, Mrs. Beverley Storms; Gents' high, Howard Wallace; consolation, Allen Reid. Mrs. Clayton Burkitt won the door prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel McKeown, of Campbellford, were dinner guests of Mrs. Fred McKeown, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bateman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bateman and family, at Trenton, on Friday.

Mrs. Clarence Sutherland, Stirling, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. George Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burkitt are patients at Belleville Hospital where they were taken after being involved in a car accident near Madoc on Friday evening.

The Spring Brook Sunday School held their annual Christmas concert in the Church on Friday evening with a large crowd in attendance.

Misses Isabel and Jean Preston, of Peterborough, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Preston, on Sunday.

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(Mrs. Arthur Burkitt)

St. Mark's Anglican Church held their annual turkey supper and bazaar on Thursday evening with a large crowd in attendance. The proceeds were most gratifying.

Mrs. Rod McKenzie and girls, of Kingston, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heath, Rochester, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Bev. Collins and girls, Mrs. Chas. Roberts, Campbellford, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burkitt and Don, Joanne, Jim; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burkitt attended the baptismal service on Sunday when Cynthia Charlene was baptized by Rev. D. Jacques. The geusts were entertained at a baptismal dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Solmes and Mrs. Don Leonard visited Mr. Don Leonard, who is a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dickie were guests with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdam on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dickie, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dickie.

Those who attended the funeral of the late Aileen Heath, from a distance, were Mr. and Mrs. Mel Heath, Orillia; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Heath, Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Heath, Delhi; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heath, Lindsay; Mr and Mrs. Carl Heath, Hastings; and Mr. and Mrs. Don Case, Kingston.

Friends were shocked to hear of the sudden death of the late Mrs. Murray Heath, on Saturday morning.

Several attended the Santa Claus parade in Campbellford, on Saturday, and enjoyed the lovely floats.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burkitt were involved in a two-car accident in the Madoc vicinity. Mrs. Burkitt is in intensive care and Mr. Burkitt is a patient in Belleville Hospital.

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Dollars and Good Sense

by WILLIAM J. MARTIN

This column is a regular weekly feature prepared by the family Financial Councelling Service of the Avco Delta Corporation, P.O. Box 2820, London, Ontario. All questions submitted to the above address will be answered, in print or by return mail. Names will not be used in print However, all questions should be accompanied by a complete name and address.

QUESTION — Dear Sir: My husband makes a very good salary. We have a nice home, two cars and all that but I never seem to have enough money to run the household. He takes most of the money and puts it into our savings account while very little goes into the checking account from which I have to pay bills and run the house. I hope you'll print this so he can read it.

Mrs. A. B.

ANSWER — The situation which you write about ..... oversave ..... is not an uncommon problem among families. Yours is almost similar to that of the low income family, the only difference being that the low income family doesn't have the money in the first place.

Experts say this problem usually stems from the fact that the husband comes from a poor family background where money was extremely scarce. He's never gotten over it and still carries the deep scar of being without money. Incidentally, this also applies to wives who hold back their expense money and tuck it away somewhere for an "emergency".

In principal, this is commendable. Being thrifty has always been an admirable trait. But being thrifty to the extent of denying your family the basic necessities of life is certainly not admirable.

I've known cases where the husband had an attractive income yet the wife was always borrowing sugar, milk or bread because she "just ran out". Or the children looked like orphans. Either the wife was a very poor manager or the husband just didn't give her enough money for household expenditures.

Conversely, there are the ,'overspenders" who, in trying to keep up with (or better) the proverbial Jones' do so at the expense of their children.

Whatever the cause — oversaving, overspending or poor managing — it's apparent that each need some help in understanding and practicing good money habits. I'm sending you a booklet entitled "When, Where and How to Save Through Smart Money Management," which hopefully will help you acquire better money habits.

(Anyone interested in this book may receive a free copy by sending me your name and address.)

QUESTION — Dear Sir: As a family financial expert, whom would you say is the better money manager — the husband or wife? And don't back down, either!

Mr. and Mrs. P. F.

ANSWER — Since both of you have me covered, I don't see how I can. However, I refuse to answer that question directly on the grounds that it would probably make me the most unpopular family counselor in Canada — at least with one sex.

So I'll just reply by stating some facts. First of all, the wife is generally better at paying bills and planning expenditures. This is only right because she's the individual who is nearest the subject. She knows, for example, when it's time for little Timmy to get a new pair of shoes. She also makes out the weekly shopping list. She knows (or should know) how much to spend (budget) and how much she will have for expenditures.

This doesn't necessarily mean, Mr. F., that she's the best qualified or most competent person to manage the family's finances. Sometimes the husband may have a better perspective or point of view of the financial situation than the wife. Since you're busy earning the money, however you may not wish to become involved with the day-to-day handling of the dollar.

With some men, on the other hand, it's neither a question of qualification or competence. It has been traditional for the man (who earns the money) to also dole it out, pay the bills and make the decisions. As a result the wife has always been kept in the financial dark. Needless to say and thank goodness, this is not a very popular concept any longer.

While I will not decide in favor of either of you to the important position of Family Money Manager, I recommend that you apply the easy Martin Method. You take a crack at this role for the next two months, Mrs. F. with your husband serving as advisor. If, after two months things are not working out try it for the same period of time Mr. F. By the end of four months (usually less) you will have determined who makes the better manager.

A word of caution! While one of you may serve on the money manager (pay the bills; plan the expenditures etc.); remember that it takes two to make the right decision for the family.

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Mount Pleasant

(Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

Margaret and Isobel Hoard took part in a Scholarship Recital, Saturday evening, November 29th, at the Sir John A. Macdonald School, Belleville.

Allan Wrightman, Bayside, shot a forty-pound wolf on the fifth Concession of Rawdon, on Wednesday, December 3rd. The previous evening, wolf howls were heard by several members of the Wrightman family.

On Saturday, December 6th, Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen attended the wedding of their grand nephew, David John Cable and Sheila Mae Brooks, in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Cobourg. The reception followed in the Church Hall.

The Messenger Group held their annual Christmas Party on Saturday evening at the Church Hall.

Several folks from here enjoyed the Santa Claus Parade in Stirling on Saturday.

Thursday Night Mixed Bowling

The Westenders were 7 to 0 winners over the Idlers. The B.P.'s were 5 to 2 winners over the Selects.

Ladies' high single, Marlene Fraser 222; high triple, Evelyn Prest 558; high average, Sylvia Edgar, 183.

Men's high single, Jack Fraser, 252; high triple, Ralph Parks, 623; high average, Gord Barrie, 201.

Games of 200 and over: Sylvia Edgar 200; Jim Edgar 238, 206; Don Tucker 210; Opal Reilly 201; Ernie Glover 237; Jean Barrie 202; Gord Barrie 212; Evelyn Prest 201; Ralph Parks 216, 234; Jenny Spencer 202; Bob Spencer 214, 208; Marlene Fraser 222; Jack Fraser 252.

Elaine Local 754 Bowling League

On Tuesday, December 2nd, the Drop Outs took all 7 points from the Turkish Delights. The Offsets were 7 to 3 winners over the Cobra Jets.

Points — Offsets 63; Drop Outs 38; Turkish Delights 21; Cobra Jets 32.

Ladies' high single and triple, Roberta Vanderwater 239, 553; high average, Ivy Poste 189.

Men's high single, Roy Lake 225; high triple, Don McCrory 628; high average, Don McCrory 194.

Other good games — Paul Wilson 230; Ruth McCrory 218.

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Christmas Meeting Of River Valley Women's Institute

The Christmas meeting of River Valley Women's Institute was held on Thursday, December 4th, at the home of Mrs. J. R. Donohoe. There were twenty-five members and three visitors in attendance.

The home was decorated with a lighted tree and other decor which added a festive touch to the occasion.

The ladies brought gift parcels for the Belleville Branch of the Canadian Mental Health Association and these will be taken to Belleville.

The Secretary distributed the Fall issue of the Home and Country Magazine.

Mrs. Roy Tucker, President, opened with the Institute Ode and Mary Stewart Collect and extended a welcome to all.

Mrs. Gerald Brooks read the minutes and correspondence. Mrs. J. L. Donohoe gave the financial picture which included proceeds of four card parties in November.

The convenors gave reports on their departments, as follows: Mrs. Glenn Bush, Farm Machinery; Mrs. Ernest Carr, Education; Mrs. Roy Irven, Health; Mrs. Roy Bush, Value of Old Relics of Pioneer Days.

Mrs. Percy MacMullen read a letter of thanks from Abbot's Leigh W.I., in England, for the parcel of individual place mats which they received November 17th. Their parcel was mailed October 23rd but it has not arrived as yet, so will be distributed at the January meeting.

Mrs. Roy Irven told of the recent 4-H Achievement Day.

The president outlined the visit she and the curator recently made to Madoc School.

Plans were made to distribute cheer parcels to several shut-ins. Various bills were authorized to be paid and these included honorariums to the four leaders of the 4-H Senior Clubs.

The January, 1970, meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Morrow, based on "Safety".

The roll call told of many interesting old toys, treasures, dolls, Christmas cards, etc. which were displayed by the members and passed around for viewing.

The chairman of the Property Committee, Mrs. Ernest Carr, gave a resume of the recent meeting The "Pennies For Friendship" were gathered.

Mrs. George Grills, convenor, presided over the programme, and read a message. Mrs. Harry Morrow contributed piano music and Mrs. Ernest Carr read Christmas selections.

The topic on the subject, "The Hurrier I Try The Behinder I Get", was prepared by Mrs. Robert H. Hoard, and read by Mrs. Percy MacMullen. The closing thought was part of a prayer poem: "Lord, if some soul bowed down with care needs friendliness and words of cheer, Then if Thou wilt, O send her here, That I may speak to her of Thee."

May we at this Christmas season try not to be in such a hurry that we cannot enjoy the holiday season with our friends and families.

Several Christmas carols were sung with the hostess as narrator and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh as pianist.

Mrs. Harry Morrow and Mrs. Albert Wilhelm were in charge of the gift exchange.

The meeting closed with a Christmas prayer and the Institute Grace.

The hostess and lunch committee served a special Christmas luncheon which featured jellos, fruit bread, tarts, relishes, candies, nuts, etc. At the close Mrs. Glenn Bush voiced a gracious thank you for hospitality, programme and refreshments.

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STAFF FOR GRAND DECORATION AND DECORATION OF CHIVALRY, AT BELLEVILLE, ONT., SAT., NOV. 29, 1969 IN BELLEVILLE CENTENNIAL SCHOOL

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Good Games — Bob Corbett 293; Ralph Parks 283, 252; Wayne Roe 271; John Reichert 267, 253; Doug. Scea 260; Ray Poste 256, 243, 241; Clive White 251; Bruce Woodbeck 249; Gord. Barrie 245, 230.

Ten Pin League

Saturday, December 6th, the Slow Pokes (45) were 5 to 2 victors over the Hot Shots (25).

Ralph Scea bowled games of 185, 170 and 169 (524) for high triple. Art Schleifer has high average of 164. Erika Schleifer had high single of 194. Erika Schleifer had ladies' high single, triple and average, 143, 421 and 137.

Other good games — Art Schleifer 175 and 164, John Reichert 163; Ray Poste 154.

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10.00 a.m. — Worship Service
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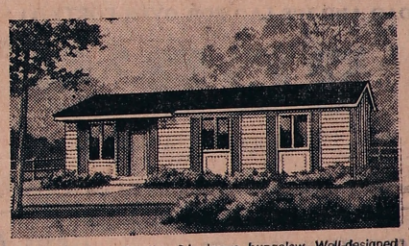

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Mrs. Murray Heath Victim of Car-Train Accident

Aileen Marjorie Heath, 40, of Ryl-stone, Ont., beloved wife of Murray Heath, was instantly killed in a collision between the ore train from Bethlehem Steel Mines at Marmora and a small car, driven by her son, Lyle, on Saturday morning, December 6th, at about 8.00 a.m. Her 15-year-old son, Jerry, also a passenger in the car was also injured, and is now in Belleville General Hospital, where he and his brother, Lyle, were taken following the crash. The extent of his injuries was not immediately known.

Lyle was released from hospital during the afternoon. Frost on the car windows is believed to have obscured the vision of the driver and at this particular spot, the track is obscured for a short distance.

Mrs. Heath was taken to Belleville Hospital for autopsy and later to Bennett-Weaver Funeral Home, in Campbellford, where she rested till the funeral service on Tuesday.

Besides her sorrowing husband, she is survived by three sons, Lyle, Jerry and John, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Petherick, of Petherick's Corners, and one brother, Carl, of Campbellford.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the sorrowing family.

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JOSEPH R. GRILLS

The funeral for Joseph R. Grills, R.R. 3, Stirling, who died in Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday in his 85th year was held from the Weaver Funeral Home, Campbellford, to English Line United Church on Saturday afternoon. He had been in failing health for two years.

Rev. Bruce Small, assisted by Rev. Gordon Whitehorse, conducted the service in the church and also the committal rites at English Line Cemetery.

The bearers were Gerald, Thomas, George and Keith Grills, Bill Johnston and George Wilson.

Friday evening members of Stirling I.O.O.F. Lodge conducted a memorial service at the Funeral Home. Earl Fox acted as Noble Grand and the Chaplain's part was taken by Robert Hulin.

Mr. Grills was born in Seymour Township, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Grills and farmed most of his life in the community. He had been living retired for some years.

He was a member of Carmel United Church and a former elder of the congregation. Fraternally he was a member of the I.O.O.F., No. 239, Stirling.

Surviving are his wife, the former Retta Carlisle, his first wife, the former Mary Foreman, having died some years ago; two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Johnston, Norwood, Mrs. Gerald (Evelyn) Crowe, Frankford; four sons, Everett, John, Garnet and James Grills, all of Stirling, and two step sons, Jack and George Wilson.

Also surviving are three brothers, Garnet and James Grills, R.R. 3, Campbellford; Lewis, Strathclair, Manitoba; one sister, Mrs. Andrew (Mabel) Haig, R.R. 5, Campbellford; 14 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren and 10 step grandchildren. He was predeceased by three sisters and two brothers.

Wellman's

(Mrs. Victor Graham)

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Althouse, of Peterborough, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Wellman's Institute held a successful card party on Saturday evening in the Orange Hall, with eleven tables in play. Ladies' high was won by Mrs. Bedford, of Stirling; Gent's high, Wally Jackson, of Oshawa; Ladies' low, Mrs. M. Graham; Gents' low, Gary Rowe, Petherick's Corners; door prize, Lyn Thain.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd King visited their daughter, in Oshawa, on Sunday

Mr and Mrs. Wally Jackson and family, of Oshawa, visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson and family.

Mrs. Victor Graham and Eleanor and Mr. Glenn Graham visited Miss Freda Graham in Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle attended the funeral of the late Mr. Joe Grills, in Campbellford, on Saturday.

Friends at Wellman's extend congratulations to Mrs. Walter Scott, who celebrated her 88th birthday on December 9th.

Miss Catharine Seeley was an overnight guest on Friday with Miss Violet Richardson, of River Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Dunham and family, of Tweed, were supper guests on Sunday with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

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Pastor Goodman and Family Given Farewell Party By Congregation

On Friday evening November 21, congregation and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKinnon to honour Pastor and Mrs. Goodman ere their departure for Quebec city.

A short programme was enjoyed consisting of singing of favourite choruses. A reading, Mrs. Clare Nest. A solo by Mr. Victor Ostrander accompanying himself on the piano which was truly enjoyed. A reading, Mrs. Melville Grills. Mrs. Lorne McInroy composed and read as follows:

Stirling, Ontario.
Nov. 20, 1969

Dear Keith and Carol;

We can't say that this occasion is a very happy one,
Our hearts are sad to think so soon, your work with us is done.
And though it seems that circumstances, are beyond control,
It helps to know they're not beyond the One who keeps your soul.

God knows what He is doing, though we don't understand
But we believe that on you both OUR GOD has laid His hand.
To other pastures now it seems, that He would have you go,
And leave behind this little flock, whom you have helped to grow.

It's true we've had some problems, but many blessings we have shared,
When God poured out His Spirit, and showed us that He cared.
The One who doeth all things well, has a reason never fear,
For all the things that happen, and someday He'll make it clear.

So we have gathered here to-night, reluctantly to say farewell
You know we're going to miss you, more than words can tell.
The good advise you've given, and the times you've held us in prayer,
Praise God; you'll be rewarded, when you get "Over There".

We'll not forget to pray, God bless you and keep you always in His Will.
As you go to Quebec City, other hungry hearts to fill,
With the precious Word of Jesus, and His wondrous Love proclaim,
As you keep reminding people, how Christ is everyday the same.

Now someday you may be famous, and preach over C.B.C.
And how we'll brag "we knew them well" to everyone we see.
Whenever you should pass our way, stop in and say "hello",
For we sure think "The Goodman Family" are mighty nice to know.

Mr. Bill McKinnon then presented Pastor and Mrs. Goodman with a clock, candle stick holder to match and a purse.

Pastor Goodman then thanked each one for their many kindnesses extended to them during their pastorate here and assuring their prayers would continue for the work in Stirling and thanking God for the many new friends they had made here.

Mrs. Goodman spoke briefly thanking everyone for being so kind and thoughtful to them.

Lunch was served and a time of fellowship enjoyed.

Poster Contest

Canada Music Week celebrated its tenth anniversary this year from November 23rd - 30th. To mark this occasion, the Canadian Federation of Music Teachers Associations has announced a national poster competition, which will be held in two classes — class one being the school grades 4 - 6, and the other school grades 7 - 9. The first prize is $100.00: second prize $50.00: third prize $25.00.

In co-operation with the C.F.M.T.A the Belleville Branch of the Ontario Registered Music Teacher's Association is sponsoring the campaign in the Hastings and Prince Edward County School District. Information re the contest will be given through the local and separate schools, or information may be had by calling the Branch Secretary, Mrs. H. Van Ochten at 392-7957.

The closing date for entries to the poster contest is February 15, 1970. Three top posters in each class will be chosen from Hastings and Prince Edward Counties and forwarded to Toronto for competition at the provincial level. The subsequent top posters from Ontario will be judged nationally with the other provinces, culminating in the national finalists being chosen and these winners will be announced during Canada Music Week 1970.

Entries from the Hastings and Prince Edward County region should be submitted before February 15th, 1970, to:

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1. Poster is to depict any facet of music-making in Canada.
2. Canada Week should be mentioned on the poster.
3. Posters should be approximately 12" x 20".
4. Any medium is acceptable — oil, water, crayon, charcoal etc.
5. One entry only from each competitor.
6. Names and addresses to be placed on the BACK of the poster.
7. Posters shall be submitted not later than February 15, 1970.
8. No entry fee.
9. The sponsor, Canadian Federation of Music Teacher's Associations (CFMTA) should be mentioned.

Residential Property Tax Rebate

Ontario apartment dwellers should receive a little extra cash from their landlords this month — perhaps in time for Christmas.

The extra cash is a benefit to which virtually all home-owners and tenants are entitled under the Ontario Government's two-year-old property tax reduction system. The system was established by the Province last year as a means of easing the burden of municipal and school taxes. In effect, ,the Province pays part of the property taxes on each eligible house and apartment.

Under Provincial law, apartment landlords or their agents must pass on the tax reduction to tenants on or before December 31, 1969. (Home-owners should have already received their reductions).

The system works this way:

The landlord receives the reduction from his municipality and is required to pass on the full amount of the reduction on or before December 31 to those tenants who have occupied their premises throughout 1969.

Tenants who have moved in or out of apartments during the year receive only proportionate amounts.

A tenant who moved into an apartment during the year and is still occupying the premises should receive one-twelfth of the total reduction for each month of tenancy. This reduction should be paid by the landlord on or before December 31.

A tenant who moved out during the year should receive a similarly proportionate amount within 30 days of the date he terminated his tenancy or on December 31st, whichever is earlier.

Municipal Affairs Minister Darcy McKeough, whose Department administers the tax reduction system said today that the bulk of the inquiries being received is coming from tenants who moved earlier in the year and have not yet received their payments.

"We suggest that a tenant who has moved during the year and has not received his entitlement should contact his former landlord immediately to be sure the landlord knows where to send the reduction."

Mr. McKeough said that tenants who moved out over 30 days ago and have not received their 1969 entitlement after advising their landlord of their new address should contact the Subsidies Branch of the Department of Municipal Affairs for assistance at 801 Bay Street, or telephone Toronto 363-7501.

Mr. McKeough said landlords cannot withhold the tax reduction from a tenant to compensate for real or alleged damages or losses. However if a tenant is in arrears on his rent, the tax reduction may be deducted from the arrears, he added.

Generally tenants of separately assessed residential properties, such as duplexes and apartment buildings, are eligible for the tax reduction, but tenants in flats and basement apartments in houses may not qualify. Roomers, for example, are not eligible.

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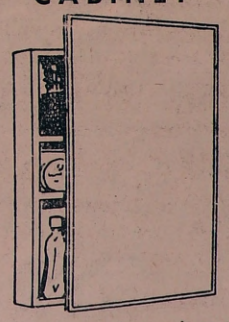
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RYLSTONE W.I.

Seventeen ladies, members and visitors took advantage of the demonstration, "The Main Course Makes the Meal, sponsored by Rylstone Women's Institute, and held at the home of Mrs. Jack Watson on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Lindsay Anderson and Mrs. Hector Arnold, demonstrated the preparation of several main dishes, which were sampled and enjoyed along with a pot luck dinner at noon.

There will be no regular meeting of the Rylstone W.I. in December, as the members have been invited to join with Zion U.C.W. in their S.S. Room at Zion United Church, Pethericks Corners on December 10th. There will be a gift exchange of gifts valued at 75c — $1.00.

Rylstone W.I. held their 3nd Games Night in the W. I. Hall on Saturday evening, with 6 tables, playing, following are the winners. Ladies high, Mrs. Sanford Wilson; Gents high, Henry Radcliffe; Ladies low, Mrs. Ernie Rowe; Gent's low, Carl Reid; Travelling prize was won by Margaret Wilson.

Several from Rylstone attended the Co-Op banquet, held at the Masonic Temple in Campbellford, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stapley and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reid and family, attended the 55th wedding anniversary celebration in honor of their parents, Mr. and Mrs Nelson Stapley at their home in Stirling on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson and family, at Trent River, recently, when the birthday of Scott Anderson was celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Willocks and Mark, of Peterborough, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKeown.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Petherick and children, of Stirling, were Sunday supper guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick.

Recent guests of Mrs. Essie Reid, were her son Claude, Springbrook; her brother Wm. Morton Sr., Rylstone and sister, Mrs. Cliff Anderson and her husband, of Burnbrae.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath spent the weekend at Scarborough, with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mason. Mrs. Heath remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lownsbury, Vicki and Marci, of Peterborough spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer.

Model Husband — a small imitation of the real thing.

Rawdon Council

Rawdon Township Council met on December 1st, with the members all present.

Heath and Shortt — the Fire Chief Malcolm Mason presented the account of $103.08 for the month for supplies for trucks and etc. This was ordered to be paid.

Pollock and Sutherland — the Fire Report for the year 1969 received from the Secretary-Treasurer, Lloyd Sedore was read and placed on file.

Shortt and Sutherland — the clerk was authorized to write the Fire Chief, Graham Mouck and extend a vote of thanks for answering a mutual aid call for the Township of Rawdon.

Pollock and Heath — The Municipal World be paid $27.20 for supplies.

Shortt and Pollock — The Bell Telephone Co. be paid $43.29 for the Springbrook Fire phones.

Pollock and Heath — The Stirling News-Argus be paid $26.20 for Twp. supplies.

Shortt and Heath — Donald Tucker, be paid $6.50 for disposing of a dog.

Pollock and Shortt — By Law 69-27 received from the corporation of the County of Hastings making alterations to the County Road System was approved by the Council.

Sutherland and Heath — that Clarence Hay be paid $20.00 for a sheep account presented by the stock valuator and also the Valuator, Edward Colden be paid $5.00 for one inspection.

Shortt and Pollock — the following wolf bounties be paid, Edward Colden, $25.00; Lloyd Anderson $25.00.

Pollock and Sutherland — the letter was read from the Corporation of the Town of Stoney Creek asking for a resolution to be forwarded to the Attorney General asking him to enforce the laws respecting illegal gatherings and civil disobedience which occured on Hallowe'en night in the town of Stoney Creek.

Heath and Sutherland — Road Voucher No. 11 for $5592.49 be paid.

Short and Pollock — the Clerk was authorized to reply to the letter received from the Canadian Transport Commission regarding the 13th Concession CNR Crossing; also ask if the right hand signal lights at the 12th line crossing could be made more clear by lowering the one at the north. It seems to be too high.

Three By-Laws were passed No. 936, 937 and 938 applying to the Council of the Township of Rawdon under the Tile Drainage Act for a loan for the purpose of draining such land.

Shortt and Sutherland — the Inspector and Clerk be paid their fees for their work on the Tile Drainage reports.

Heath and Sutherland — the Fire men be paid their salaries of $1850.00 for the year 1969.

Pollock and Shortt — the salaries of the officers for the year 1969 be paid.

Council adjourned to meet Monday, December 15th at 1 o'clock.

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The fourteen boys will be working at IGA, Tweed; Carter's Sports, Tweed; Derry's Garage, Stirling Motors, Embury Building Supply; Tweed Feed Mill; Sawyer Stoll; Tweed Steel; Madoc Cash and Carry; Tweed Veneer; Hagerman's Sport Shop; Beamish Stores.

The six girls will be working at Mrs. Bicknell's home; IGA, Tweed; Getha's Beauty Salon; Village Hairdressing; Beamish Stores; Richard's Restaurant.

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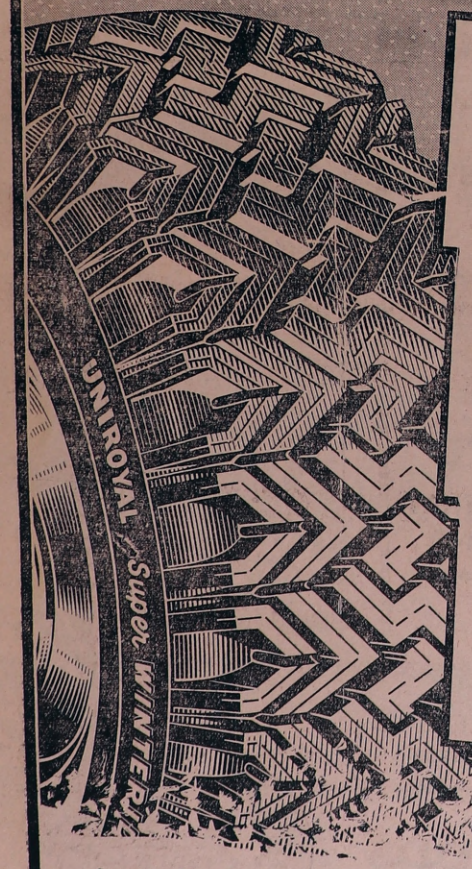

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For example, if your cows get too much energy towards the end of lactation, especially if you are feeding them grain as well as corn silage free-choice, you may find these results. First, excess energy in late lactation may (a) divert energy use to body fat deposition rather than milk secretion; (b) depress appetites in the following lactation; (c) increase susceptibility to clinical ketosis.

Dry cows on a free choice corn silage program will definitely consume too much energy. You should restrict quantities of corn silage to dry cows.

However, many high producing cows cannot consume enough energy in early lactation. You should be sure these cows get enough energy to replenish their energy reserves after their production drops enough to allow this.

A series of protein levels in the dairy ration is theoretically necessary if corn silage is the main forage. If you combine corn and alfalfa forage, one protein level in the grain mix allows a more efficient use of protein.

Supplementing corn silage with hay results in higher intakes of forage dry matter, but may mean lower milk production. One half pound of hay per 100 lbs. of body weight has resulted in improved performance on some high silage feeding programs.

Heavy grain supplementation is unnecessary on 65-68 per cent TDN corn silage if your cows eat enough silage. Some experiments have shown that protein added to high energy rations may substantially increase consumption. Urea likely cannot do this, as urea treated corn silage may not have enough carbohydrate for efficient use of urea.

Supplementing corn silage with a balanced ration at the rate of 1 lb. per 3.5 lbs. of milk appears adequate for high production. Basically, your cows will need a minimum of 20 per cent of protein in the grain ration fed with high levels of corn silage.

Farm Credit Corp. 10th Anniversary

The Farm Credit Corporation has just passed its tenth anniversary of operation. It was in October 1959 that the Farm Credit Act provides for the establishment of the Farm Credit Corporation (as a crown agency) which would report to Parliament through the Minister of Agriculture.

The Corporation's objective from the beginning has been to provide long term mortgage credit to assist Canadian farmers organize viable farm businesses and to promote the development of a sound and competitive farming industry. Since 1959 the act has been amended and modified to include a wider interpretation of eligibility to embrace farm corporations and loans to Indians amongst other items and also give the corporation authority to make machinery and certain utility build-loans to qualified syndicates of three or more farmers to purchase farm ings for their co-operative use.

It is estimated that in Canada at the end of 1967 there were 1.5 billion dollars extended to farmers in long term (over ten years) credit. Sixty per cent of this amount has been provided by The Farm Credit Corporation. Eleven per cent by Veterans Land Administration and twenty-two percent by various Provincial Government Agencies. In addition, about .5 billion dollars was estimated to have been provided by private individuals on a somewhat shorter term basis.

The Ontario Branch has seven supervision districts in the Province located at Chatham, Woodstock, Guelph, Walkerton, Barrie,, Ottawa and North Bay. In addition, there are thirty-seven field areas under the jurisdiction of a resident Credit Advisor who assists farmers in making application for loan and consulting service for the best uses of the money available. There have been over 17,000 loans made to Ontario Farmers over the past ten years to a total amount of better than 302 million dollars.

As part of its services to farmers under the supervised provisions of the Farm Credit Act, the corporat tion has pioneered a computerized farm accounting system on a national scale and has developed it into one of the largest farm accounting systems of this type in the world. Over 3,000 Farm Credit Corporation borrowers are now registered in this program of which approximately 800 are in Ontario and who will eventually be transferring to the new Canfarm System of Computerized Account.

Scholarship Recital

Belleville Branch of the Ontario Registered Music Teachers Association held its annual scholarship recital on November 29th at Sir John A. MacDonald School, Belleville.

The following pupils of teachers from Belleville, Batawa, Picton, Frankford, Stirling and Trenton performed:

Students of Sister Mary Avila — Patrick Harrington, Anthony Wall.

Mrs. D. Wall — Karen Ryckman, Heather McBrien. Susan Thompson, Larry Forrestel, Margaret Hoard.

Mrs. H. Elliott — Isobel Hoard, Debbie Duffy.

Mrs. S. Martin — Janice Moore, Paula Stratton, Jeff Lobb, Mark Coates.

Sister Mary Polycarp — Josephine and Christine Nemec - duet, Frank Wickens.

Mrs. F. Messacar — Susan Walsh (vocal), Billy McLinton (vocal).

Students of Sister Aileen Donnelly — Kim Ostrander,

Mrs. E. MacKay — Donna Wetherall.

Mrs. B. Storey — Ursula Berger, Ann Marie Aquino, Susan Jane Evans.

Mrs. H. Rennie — James Crooks, Diane and Janice Nelles (duet)

Mrs. W. Nance — Jacob Hoekstra, Lillian Dickson, Cathy O'Neil, Robin Ormsby, Carolyn Popma.

Mrs. M. McLeod — Cindy Cairns.

Mrs. H. VanOchten — Kim Hay, Mary Jane Craig, Ann Ketcheson, Linda Johnston.

Sister Lois Williams — Lynne Petterson, Marilyn and Debbie Bailey, duet, Debbie Bailie - solo.

Awards were presented to students in grades five through eight who received the highest mark in the area in examinations held last year. In order to qualify, the student must also have completed the theoretical requirements of the grade.

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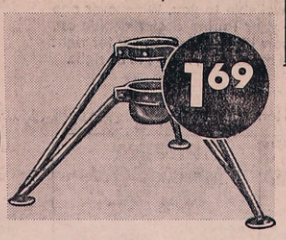

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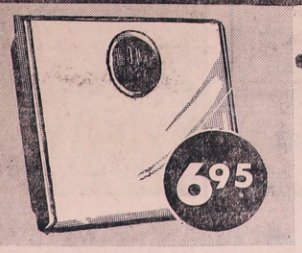

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Hastings County 4-H Awards Night Held At Centre Hastings School

Approximately 350 4-H members, parents, friends and representatives of the various organizations and companies donating special awards attended the Hastings County 4-H Awards program. The program was held at the Centre Hastings Secondary School in Madoc, on Friday, November 28th, at 8 p.m.

Malcolm Sharp, who is president of the Club Leaders Association, was chairman for the evening.

Guest speaker for the evening was the Warden of Hastings County, Mr. Donald W. Rodgers, introduced by Mr. W. D. Tipper. Mr. Rodgers spoke about the position young people were in today and what role they can play in community affairs.

Mr. Rodgers was presented with a plaque by Club Leader, Harry Bates, in appreciation of the support given by him through County Council to the 4-H program in 1969.

There was slightly over $1400 in prize money and 70 awards for outstanding achievement presented to the 4-H members during the evening.

Robert Jarrell and Mary Tumman were winners of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce Bulova watches for outstanding 4-H achievement and leadership during their 4-H careers. Both members gave very well prepared valedictory addresses, proving they were worthy of the awards previously presented to them.

We want to take this opportunity to thank the sponsoring organizations and the donors of special awards for their support of and interest shown in the 1969 4-H program.

A list of 4-H members winning outstanding awards in the area is as follows:

Bishop Seeds Award of $10. — Dianne Gunning, top member in the Hastings 4-H Forage Club.

Hastings County Soil and Crop Improvement Association Award—Keith Sills, second highest member in the

Bank of Montreal Award — Keith McConnell, highest points in the Stirling Calf Club.

MacKenzie Feeds Limited Special — (a) High Scoring Calf, Linn Thain; (b) Novice member with highest points, William Pollock.

Stirling Rotary Club Award — Dianne Gunning, top member in the Hastings 4-H Potato Club.

In Hospital

Mrs. Myrtle Kirkey, of Stirling, is a patient at St. Mary's of the Lake Hospital, Kingston.

Home From Hospital

Friends of Mr. C. B. Rollins will be pleased to learn that he has returned home from Belleville Hospital and is convalescing at his home.

Stirling Legion Novice All-Stars Remain Undefeated

With wins last week over Campbellford and Marmora, the Stirling Legion Novice All-Stars extend their winning streak to 5.

They defeated Campbellford, 11 to 1. Scoring for Stirling were Mark Dobson with 4, Wayne Andrews with 2, and Billy Faulkner, Rodney McKeown, Barry Danford, Craig Morton and Morton Foshay with 1 each.

Marmora 1, Stirling 4. Stirling scorers were Wayne Andrews, Mark Dobson, Morton Foshay and Craig Morton.

Next game is in Madoc on Friday, December 19th.

"At Home"

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heagle, R.R. 5, Campbellford, will be "At Home" to their friends, neighbours and relatives on Sunday, December 28th, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary, in the Sunday School Room of Hoard's United Church, from 1.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. 49-2

Ken Rose Transferred

Mr. Ken Rose son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rose, Frankford, has been transferred from Tara, as manager, to the Erie and Main Branch of the Bank of Montreal at Hamilton. Ken began his banking career at Stirling Branch twelve years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Rose and family are living at 597 Francis Road, Burlington, Ont.

Mrs. H. H. Alger Now At Beamsville

Mrs. H. H. Alger wishes to announce that she will be residing at Allbright Manor, Beamsville, near the home of the Rev. and Mrs. David Ellis, of St. Catharines, formerly of Peace River, Alberta.

Since her move is unexpectedly early (December 15th), she wishes to take this opportunity to express her regret for not being able to say goodbye personally to so many lifelong friends and acquaintances of this village and vicinity and to thank them for their many kindness over the years. 49-1p

St. Paul's Choirs Sing At Edward Street Manor

St. Paul's two Junior Choirs visited the patients at Edward Street Manor on Wednesday afternoon of last week and sang a number of Christmas carols. Following the carols the staff at the Manor served chocolate milk and cookies.

The Alpha Choir was under the direction of Mrs. Bruce Small and Mrs. Jean Lyall and the Junior Choir under Mrs. Ross Hart and Mrs. Arthur Pyear.

Laurel Rebekah Lodge No. 211

The regular meeting of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, was held last Tuesday in the I.O.O.F. Temple, Charlotte St., with the Noble Grand, Sister Eileen Woodcox welcoming a goodly number of Members.

It was decided to send Christmas cards to several business firms in Stirling in appreciation for their kindnesses rendered to the Lodge throughout the past year.

The sympathy of the Lodge was extended to Sister Loretta Grills in the loss of her husband Mr. Joseph Grills.

After a short meeting, the members adjourned to the banquet hall, where the convenors, Sisters Muriel Sharpe, Kathleen McMullen and Alice Hoard had prepared a festive table laden with Christmas goodies, waiting for them to enjoy.

Sister Eileen Woodcox, Noble Grand, expressed the sincere thanks on behalf of all present and wished a Merry Chistmas to all and hoped everyone would have a Happy New Year.

THE BIG SPLASH

The Senior Citizens were about the happiest group of people in this County at their Christmas dinner party. Buttimer Belshaw (our oldest oitizen) and (a good second) Harper Rollins were present.

Grace was sung and a moment of silence was observed for absent ones.

Steaming hot turkey, stuffin' and brown gravy were in abundance. Gertrude organized the menu and the turkeys were cooked (under the watchful eye of their husbands) by Lillian and Bessie. Yum, was it good! The rest of our girls were responsible for vegetables, salads and everything else that you can think of that is good to eat. The dessert was pies and jellos. There must have been at least about twenty kinds of pie. Boy, have we got cooks!

Mrs. Carman Bruce, who does home baking at her home at 92 Front St. W., sent us five dozen rolls to go with our dinner and Earl Luery, who has always an eye to happiness, donated several boxes of chocolates for our pleasure. Gosh, there are a lot of nice people in this world.

Past Pres. George said he was not busy in the burping department. He said the wind must have gone the other way.

Pres. Fred sat in the lucky chair and got, from Gertrude, a wax Christmas tree candle. Now he won't have to stumble in the dark when he gets up nights.

George, Margaret and Murn were celebrating birthdays and Lillian saw to it that a big birthday cake was presented for the occasion.

Outside of a few buttons being blown, there were no casualties. Pres. Fred said a big thanks to all.

Dis Ole Scribe

Chartered Accountant

Bruce Beckett recently received word of his success in the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ontario final examinations, having achieved an honours standing.

After graduating from Stirling High School, Bruce joined the RCAF where he served as a navigator for six years, then returning to civilian life, he entered the Chartered Accountants Course and articled in the London office of a Canadian firm of Chartered Accountants.

Bruce is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckett, of Harold, Ontario.

Girls' Hockey Game Saturday

Stirling Girls' Hockey team, "Ken Sine Fuels" will play their next home game at the Stirling Arena on Saturday, December 20th, at 6.30 p.m. Colborne will provide the opposition.

Last Saturday, the Stirling girls played to a 3-3 tie against Campbellford. Susan Wright scored two goals and Debbie Larsard one goal for the Stirling team.

Won Over Frankford 7-1

Monday night the Stirling girls were 7 to 1 winners over Frankford. Goal scorers for Stirling were Shelly Farrell 3, and singles by Sharon Green, Susan Wright, Barbara Wilhelm and Faith Little.

Books of Poems By Mrs. Broadworth Still Available

A collection of inspirational Christmas poems, "Gifts For The King", written by Myrtle Broadworth, of R.R. 1, Stirling, has recently been published by the Stirling News-Argus.

Copies of this booklet, which sell for only 75c are available at the News-Argus office and would make a lovely Christmas gift. Proceeds of the sale of the books will be used for missionary and benevolent work, especially among children.

These books are also available at the Christian Book Store, 301½ Front St., Belleville, and from Mrs. Broadworth, as well as at the News-Argus office.

"At Home"

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burkitt, Bonarlaw, will celebrate their 60th Wedding Anniversary, on Saturday, December 27th, and will be "At Home" to friends and neighbours from 1.30 to 4.30 in the afternoon. No gifts, please.

92% Stirling 1969 Taxes Now Paid

According to figures released this week by Clerk-Treasurer W. L. Pollock, 92% of the Village taxes have now been paid.

Christmas Party At Stirling Manor

A Christmas party for the residents and staff was held at the Stirling Manor, Edward St., on Tuesday of this week. The owners, Mr. P. Bogue and Mr. D. Rankin, Toronto, were present for the party.

Christmas Concert At Grace Chapel Well Attended

Grace Chapel Sunday School held their annual Christmas Concert on Friday night, December 6th, with a large crowd in attendance.

A lovely lighted tree enhanced the setting for the programme. Mr. Leon Wilson, Superintendent, was master of ceremonies and, after opening with prayer led the congregation in the singing of several well known carols.

Each class, under the direction of their teacher, then presented an interesting programme of Christmas dialogues, skits and pageants, some in colourful costume. Quite a number of children also favoured with recitations, solos, duets, trios and musical numbers; also in reciting Scripture verses. Little June Goodkeye closed the programme by singing the beloved children's song, "Jesus Loves Me".

The teachers then presented their classes with prizes for attendance and memory verses. A number of young people gave out gifts to each child present.

After the closing prayer, everyone was invited to the Sunday School rooms where a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Stuart McArton President St. John's Anglican Church Women

The December meeting of St. John's A.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. A. Caswell, Edward St., with Mrs. S. McArton as co-hostess. Following the devotional period, the president, Mrs. Green, presented several items of business, including such annual reports as the Altar Guild, Social Convenor and subscriptions to the "Living Message" magazine.

Mrs. Green expressed her thanks to Mr. Caswell and the A.C.W. members for their support and confidence during her term as president. As she is resigning as president this year, Mrs. Green called on Mr. Caswell to assume the chair and read the report of the nominating committee.

Mr. Caswell thanked Mrs. Green for her leadership as president, and included his appreciation of the work done by the Altar Guild, and by Mrs. H. Parsonson as social convenor.

The following slate of officers, proposed by the nominating committee for 1970, was presented to the members by Mr. Caswell and was accepted.

President — Mrs. S. McArton
Vice-President — Mrs. A. Caswell
Secretary — Mrs. B. Murray
Treasurer — Mrs. H. Wall
Affiliate Chairman — Mrs. F. McGee
Altar Guild Chairman — Mrs. J. Green
Social Convenor, Assistants — Mrs. H. Parsonson, Mrs. T. Barnard, Mrs. G. Clarke
Dept. of Family Life — Mrs. W. Hadley, Mrs E. Edwards
Social Service and Dorcas — Mrs. H. Cooke.

Following the business period, readings by Mrs. Caswell and Mrs. McArton and a puzzling contest by Mr. Caswell concluded the afternoon's programme.

Mrs. Green expressed the A.C.W. thanks to Mrs. Caswell and Mrs. McArton for their hospitality.

"At Home"

Mrs. Jas. Sharp will be "At Home" on Friday, December 26th, from 1.30 to 4.30 p.m., on the occasion of her 90th birthday, at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Donnan, R.R. 2, Stirling. No gifts, please. 49-1p

Celebrate Anniversaries

Mrs. Walter Scott, who is a resident at the Edward Street Manor was honoured on December 8th, when she celebrated her 88th birthday.

Tuesday, December 9th, which was her birthday, she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carman Nix, Frankford Road.

On Friday, December 12th, Mr. and Mrs. Scott celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary. She was transported to Hastings Manor, Belleville, by Mrs. McKinnon, to spend some time with her husband, who is a resident at Hastings Manor.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Women

The president, Mrs. Don Fargey, conducted the meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Women, held at the Church on Thursday, Dec. 11th.

The hymn "It came upon the Midnight clear," was sung with Mrs. Gladys Matthews as musician. Mrs. Fargey gave a few thoughts on Christmas relating to 'Hope', 'Faith', 'Joy', 'Love' and 'Peace'.

The roll call, a Bible verse with the word "Peace" was answered by 15 ladies.

The minutes and correspondence were read by the secretary, Mrs. K. Tompkins.

Mrs. Fargey announced that White Gift Sunday would be Dec. 21 and observed in regular form.

Mrs. W. Rodgers gave the list of officers for 1970 — Hon. Pres. Mrs. D. MacPherson; Pres. Mrs. D. Fargey; Sec. and Press Reporter, Mrs. K. Tompkins; Treasurer, Miss G. Spry and Mrs. J. Johnston; Lit. and Glad Tidings Sec., Mrs. G. Haggerty; Supply and Bale, Mrs. W. Rodgers, and Mrs. C. Nelson; Friendship and Service, Mrs. J. Johnston; Home Helpers, Mrs. D. MacPherson; Manse Committee, Mrs. R. Cooke and Mrs. M. Montgomery; Quilt Committee, Mrs. L. Dafoe and Mrs. C. Rollins; Auditors, Mrs. C. Tummon and Mrs. B. Cook; Nominating, Mrs. S. Boyce.

The offering was gathered by Mrs. J. Johnston and was dedicated by Mrs. Fargey.

Reports were given by all the convenors, denoting a very successful year.

Mrs. S. Boyce and Mrs. C. Tummon were appointed to do the visiting for the month of January.

Mrs. Fargey took charge of the worship service — Luke 2: 1-20 was repeated in unison. The meditation on this scripture was given by Miss Gena Spry. Mrs. MacPherson offered prayer.

A sing song of Christmas Carols was conducted by Mrs. K. Tompkins.

Mrs. J. Johnston gave the topic on "Peace". She quoted John 14:27 and mentioned how often the word "Peace" appears in the Bible. We must remember that back of all peace is love. Mrs. Johnston stated that peace should begin in the home and keep reaching to the most remote parts, because in this day, peace is so badly needed throughout the world. She showed how peace can be found so many mays in so many places — as Jesus' birth in such a quiet and peaceful place, also the quietness and peace when Mary visited the sepulchre to find Jesus' body gone. Peace comes to us through our faith in Jesus Christ of which will always help lift our burdens. Mrs. Johnston asked that we not let the merriment of Christmas blot out what Christmas really means.

Mrs. MacPherson thanked the officers for their devoted work for the year.

Mrs. Fargey pronounced the benediction.

Dainty refreshments were served by the lunch committee to whom Mrs. K. Tompkins voiced thanks.

Paper Published Early Next Week

Due to Christmas falling on Thursday this year, the Christmas greeting issue of the Stirling News-Argus will be published on Tuesday, December 23rd. This change in publication day will make it possible for most readers to receive their paper prior to Christmas. Correspondents and advertisers are asked to have their copy in early.

There will be no publication of the News-Argus between Christmas and New Year's week.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Ken Tompkins and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnston and Deron visited Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rose at Burlington over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wanamaker and Mrs. Harry Philp, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Devolin, Madoc.

Many New Books On Shelves Stirling Public Library

At the regular monthly meeting of the Stirling Library Board, held December 10th, the librarian reported that many new books, fiction and non-fiction, for both adults and juveniles, have been received from the Lake Ontario Regional Library System. These are a welcome addition to our shelves, and widen our area of interests considerably.

The Chairman of the Board, Mrs. D. Patterson, expressed the appreciation of the Board for the services rendered by Mr. R. Hulin, Council representative of the Village of Stirling, who is retiring from this position at the end of the year.

It was also noted with appreciation that Mr. J. L. Good is having the names of Miss Anne Watson, Miss Cheryl Stapley, and Mr. Fred Sutherland, the local students awarded Ontario Scholarships in 1969, inscribed on the shield which now hangs in the Library.

$50 CASH PRIZES For Lighting Contest

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1969

Mount Pleasant

(Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

On Sunday, December 14th, Mr. John Holmes underwent emergency surgery in the General Hospital, Belleville.

Mr. Thomas Leach, Regina, spent a few days with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson.

Mrs. Milford Wrightman attended the wedding of her niece, Dianne Jane McCrodan and John William Vandervooren in St. Peter's Church, Trenton, on Saturday, December 6th.

Miss Dorothy Moore Detlor is holidaying with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tamlin, of Woodville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hoard and family.

On Sunday afternoon, the church was nicely decorated with an evergreen tree and baskets of poinsettas, which added to the service of worship.

The Sunday School is sponsoring a concert in the Church Hall on Sunday evening, December 21st.

Bridal Shower

On Saturday evening, November 29th, a bridal shower, in honour of Miss Nancy David, was held at the home of Mrs. William McAdam. The co-hostesses were Mrs. Will Jeffs, Mrs. Harry McAdam, Mrs. Irvin Potts and Mrs. Burton Sharpe.

The guests included the ladies of the former Williams School Section; also relatives and friends from Stirling, Stockdale, Bethel and Harold. The mother of the groom-to-be, Mrs. Donald McIntosh, was in attendance, also three grandmothers, Mrs. Herb. David, Mrs. Arthur Walt and Mrs. Sheldon McIntosh. Approximately forty guests enjoyed the party.

Mrs. Archie Bailey and Mrs. Harry McAdam conducted contests. Mrs. Robert C. Hoard read a selection. Nancy was given a seat of honour and Miss Linda Potts read an appreciative address. The bride-to-be opened the large array of parcels and the gifts were then passed around for all to view.

Dainty refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Jim Haggerty, Miss Lenora Williams, Stirling; Mrs. James Barron, Bethel; Mrs. Gordon Bailey and daughters, Susan and Heather, of Harold, attended the bridal shower in honour of Miss Nancy David.

Miss Raye David, Toronto, spent a recent week end with her mother, Mrs. Ira David and sisters, Nancy and Debbie.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parker, of Bradley Bay, have taken up residence on Pump Street.

On Thursday evening, December 11th, Rawdon A.O.T.S. Men's Club held their annual Ladies' Night in the Church Hall, with Hoard's U.C.W. as caterers.

We extend Christmas Greetings to Editor, Staff, Correspondents and Readers.

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The funeral for Mrs. Eileen Heath, R.R. 2, Campbellford, who died suddenly as the result of an accident on Saturday in her 41st year, was held from the Weaver Funeral Home, Campbellford on Tuesday afternoon, December 9th.

Rev. Gordon Whitehorne conducted the service in the chapel and also the committal rites at Zion cemetery.

The bearers were Don Thomson Carie Petherick, Gordon Meiklejohn, Douglas Reid, Glenn Horton and James Mumby.

Mrs. Heath was born in Seymour township a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Petherick and lived a lifetime in Rawdon and Seymour townships.

She was a member of Zion United Church and a member of the UCW of the congregation.

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Word was received recently by Mrs. Alger from her son-in-law, John Villetorte, of Salles, France, that he and all his family are now in Bordeaux and all are in good health.

The patrons of Hoard's Cheese Factory gathered at Mt. Pleasant Church Hall Wednesday evening and tendered Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rowe and children a farewell party before their departure to Warkworth, where Doug has purchased a cheese factory.

The Wartime Prices Board announced Monday that the butter ration is being reduced from seven ounces a week to six ounces a person a week.

Ivanhoe Women's Institute

November Meeting

The November meeting of Ivanhoe Women's Institute was in the form of a trip to Belleville when sixteen ladies toured the Art Gallery and then enjoyed a dinner at Sun Luck Gardens.

During the afternoon the members toured Avon Jewellery and Deacon Shirt Factory, which was very interesting.

The members journeyed back to the home of Mrs. Russell Sills where a short business meeting was conducted and Mrs. Sills served tea and cookies.

December Meeting

Mrs. Dan Cooke and Mrs. Ross opened their home for the Christmas meeting of the Ivanhoe Institute with a good attendance.

Mrs. Tuinman opened the meeting with the Mary Stewart Collect and the Institute Ode.

For the roll call, each member brought an article of baking and recipe to be sold and the money to be used for Christmas cheer.

During the business period, it was moved by Mrs. Wallace and seconded by Mrs. W. Donnan that all bills be paid. It was moved by Mrs. R. Sills and seconded by Mrs. M. Haggerty that a few more dishes tablecloths and a mirror be purchased for the kitchen at Ivanhoe Town Hall.

During the month of November one day was held for the cooking school with eleven members present.

Mrs. Barton Haggerty introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Tobin, the District President, and she spoke on the past, present and future of the Institute, which was very interesting. Mrs. Russell Sills presented her with a small gift.

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The remainder of the meeting was turned over to the Resolution Convenor, Mrs. Charles Irwin, and she opened with a few Christmas carols with Mrs. Lindsay Sills at the piano. Readings were given by Mrs. L. Sills, Mrs. J. Wallace and Mrs. Ted Pollock. Mrs. Bill Donnan and Mrs. L. Sills favoured with a duet. Mrs. B. Haggerty conducted the sale of baking followed by the exchange of Christmas gifts.

Mrs. R. Sills thanked Mrs. Tobin for coming and Mrs. Cooke and Mrs. Ross for opening their home.

The meeting closed with O Canada and the Institute Grace. The hostess and her assistants served a dainty lunch.

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And Christmas hold the hope and joy
The happy Wise Men found.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. WILLIAM EDWARD PALMER

In poor health for the past year, Mrs. Florence Louise Palmer, R.R. 4, Stirling, died at St. Mary's of the Lake Hospital, Kingston, in her 92nd year, on Thursday, December 11th.

Mrs. Palmer was born at Glen Ross, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nolan and had resided in the community for 80 years.

She was a member of St. John's Anglican Church.

Surviving is a dear friend, Malcolm "Jack" Green, and a sister, Mrs. Aleatha Shillinglaw, Fitzroy Harbor. Her husband, William Edward Palmer, died some years ago.

Mrs. Palmer rested at the Hogle Funeral Home, Stirling. Service was held in the chapel on Saturday, December 13th.

Interment was in Stockdale Cemetery, with Rev. M. J. Caswell officiating.

The bearers were Harry Morrow, James Park, Elburn Bradshaw, Norman Rosebush, Harry Vandervoort and Ernest Carr.

Friday Night Mixed Bowling League

Points — Jets 29; Swingers 33; Flyers 62; Hot Shots 44.

High average, Ladies', Verna Woodbeck, 207; Gents', Ray Poste, 234.

There has been some real good bowling in the last two weeks. John Reichert really went to town by bowling 310, 340 and 250, to come up with the highest triple for the year, an even 900. Bob Corbett also had a good triple of 735. He rolled a 329 and a 228. Ralph Scea is trying to prove he can still bowl. He has had three good nights, with triples of 704, 715 and 697. It seems these Flyers don't want to stop flying, but we'll all keep on trying to catch them. The Poste's seem to be in there this week. Ivy rolled a 214 and 279 to tie Delia Reichert with the high triple for the week of 636, while Rosa Spry was right behind with a 635 for the three games. Ray Poste rolled another three game triple of 767 this week and Ralph Park was really chasing with a 753. Doug. Scea thinks the team has carried him long enough so he really showed off with three good games of 241, 224 and 270 to come up with a total of 735. Peter Lippert says these alleys must be crooked so he really straightened them out by rolling three games of 260, 243 and 239, making a total of 742. Betty Faulkner had a nice game of 237 and Delia Reichert rolled a good 243 game.

Of course, there have been lots of other good games, but space does not permit me to put them all in and also some very low games. It seems sometimes ome of us can't seem to hit the pins. Really, I think Ray tips the pin boys when certain people are bowling, but nevertheless we won't give up. They say practice makes perfect, so guess I for one will just keep practising.

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Correction

On page seven of this issue may be found the correct list of staff for the Grand Decoration of Chivalry which was recently conferred on Mr. Clayton Burkitt, of Spring Brook. We are very sorry for the error in last week's edition.

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The 4-H Homemaking Club Project in Hastings County this winter will be "Focus on Fitness".

Let's "Focus on Fitness". What does that mean? What does it include? Is it just physical exercise? In this 4-H Homemaking Club project "fitness" means mental and physical health — both of which are part of a well-developed person. How do we keep fit? Usually we think of exercise, yet we must keep in mind good eating habits as well as keeping our minds fit by giving them daily exercise and keeping them up-to-date — all are part of being fit.

Are you happy? What makes you happy?

When asked to do something, do you back away and say, "I can't"? Are you embarrassed or ashamed when you fail

Can you be depended upon? Do you keep promises and obligations? Do you give up easily? Are you always a 'starter', never a 'finisher'? Can you laugh at yourself? One of the most important things we ever learn is how to laugh. The leaders and girls will discuss and study all of these questions at the first meeting when they think about mentally fit.

Another topic is "Make Leisure a Pleasure." Do you have much leisure time? Do you make good use of the leisure time that you do have? What do you do with it? The girls will be encouraged to learn a new craft during their leisure time. Four suggestions are made: Huck or Swedish Weaving, 2. Knitting, 3. Making Stuffed Toys, and 4. Making Mobiles.

By the end of the project each girl will have made one article of a craft that she has not tried before.

Another suggestion for good use of leisure time is practicing the art of Reading. During this project, each girl is asked to read at least one book and write a short summary of it, as well as tell the rest of her club about it. Suggestions for books to read are found in the member's pamphlets.

Do you have enough leisure time to spend some time travelling, either at home or abroad? A good way to develop yourself and your mind is to travel. Be sure you show interest in others, ask questions and you will get the most out of travelling. A few hints on travel etiquette are suggested at the second meeting.

If you don't have time to travel, learning to appreciate good music is a quick, easy way to relax during leisure time. Not all of us are musical enough to be able to play an instrument, yet we all have radio, television, and records to give us a variety of music. Have you tried closing your eyes and listening to music from the radio or a record, and imagining a story about the music? Try this as a group and have some of the members tell their version.

Exploring nature is another good way of using leisure time. Do you know the names of different birds that you see each day? Are you aware that the birds are there? Do you know the names of wild flowers and trees?

Keeping physically fit involves good eating habits and daily exercise as well as daily care of skin, hair, eyes, teeth and feet. All of these affect your personal appearnace and are what determine others' first impressions of you as a person. This project also invites the girls to participate in a safety program to eliminate hazards and accidents for you, your family and your comunity. What do you know about first-aid? Do you know how to control bleeding? How to take care of small fractures? What to do about burns? How to give mouth-to-mouth rescue breathing? Each girl must equip a first-aid kit as well as learn how to take care of minor injuries received around the home. They also discuss ways of improving the home to prevent many of these accidents from happening.

During the last meeting, the girls discuss: "Canada as a Nation". Our democratic way of life, our freedom, and our natural resources and what their responsibilities are, as a Canadian citizen.

Therefore, our definition of fitness includes eating habits, physical exercise, leisure time, safety and good citizenship.

Does it sound interesting? Do you wish that your daughter could be a part of 4-H Homemaking Clubs in Hastings County? If so, stop in to see me at the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food Office in Stirling, or Bancroft. I will be pleased to help you organize a club in your area or put you in contact with a club that is already there.

The Training Schools for leaders will be held as follows:

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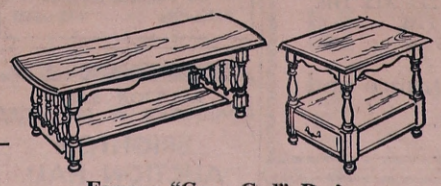
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Spring Brook UCW

Springbrook United Church Women entertained the Senior Citizens to a turkey dinner in the church hall on Dec. 4th at 12.30, the tables and hall were decorated for Christmas. Mrs. W. Cox and Mrs. G. Williams welcomed the guests. It was the regular U.C.W. meeting and all members were invited for their dinner. Rev. W. Cox on behalf of the guests thanked the members.

Mrs. Joe Thompson had a contest for the guests which proved very interesting on outstanding Springbrook people who had gone out in the 19th century as Ministers, Doctors, School Inspectors, Lawyer, Mayor, Warden etc. Mrs. G. Williams the president had the devotional and opened with "Let us go to Bethlehem to see this thing that has happened" and gave the meditation, Script. Math. 2: verses 1 to 11. "Good news in the new English version taken by Mrs. Murney Mason, Mrs. S. Downer and Mrs. Clayton Burkitt, Mrs. Ralph Wellman supplied the music for the hymns. Mrs. Williams closed with prayer. Mrs. Joe Thompson showed a film on the Christmas Story.

The members remained for a business meeting. Twenty members answered the roll call with a Christmas Carol. The seretary, Mrs. Burkitt read the minutes and the business was dealt with. Mrs. Murney Mason, treasurer gave her report. The committees gave their reports for the year. The next meeting is Thursday night Jan. 8th and all ladies of the congregation are invited. Mrs. Williams closed the meeting with prayer.

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Mr. Wm. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart and Maureen, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Torrance and Tracey, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Arnold, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barnum attended a birthday party in honor of Chas. E. Stewart's 80th birthday at his home on Doxee Ave., Campbellford, on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Jackson and family of Oshawa, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick. Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson of Wellman's Corners, were Sunday guests of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mason, of Scarborough, spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and other relatives here.

Mrs. Don Pettey, of Church Hill Falls, Labrador, arrived early Sunday morning for a Christmas Holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid.

Born — To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fennell, in Memorial Hospital, Campbellford, on Sunday, Dec. 7th, a daughter. Congratulations.

Bethel UCW

Mrs. E. Ketchen was hostess for the Decembebr 10th meeting of Bethel U.C.W. With Mrs. V. Hagerman as pianist, the hymn "It came upon the midnight clear" was sung. Mrs. H. Holden read a poem, "The lighted Candle' and led in prayer. The roll call was answered by a verse containing the word 'Joy'. There were 28 members and visitors and 5 small children present. The offering was received by Miss Gloria Russett and dedicated by Mrs. H. Holden.

Mrs. J. Thompson was in charge of the Christmas program and took as her theme "The five ages of Christmas. The joys of Christmas as seen through the eyes of a young child, a teenager, a newly married couple, a mother of a small family and of Grandma and Grandpa were expressed by Mrs. M. Cooney, Mrs. L. Reid, Mrs. L. Hagerman and Mrs. J. Thomson. Discussion followed on what the members thought was the best age to enjoy Christmas.

Mrs. V. Hagerman played a piano solo "Star of the East' and Mrs. M. Cooney played a medley of Christmas music on the accordion. The hymns Joy to the world, and O little town of Bethlehem were sung and Mrs. Thompson closed with prayer. Mrs. Holden expressed the thanks of the ladies to the hostess and committee and a social time enjoyed.

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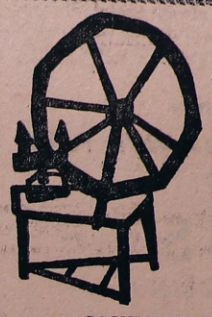
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9.45 a.m. — Grades 1-8
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7.00 p.m.-8.00 p.m. — Teen-Age Discussion Group
7.00-8.00 p.m. — Confirmation Class
3.45 p.m., Wed. — Alpha Choir, Grades 1-3
3.45 p.m. — Junior Choir, Grades 4-8

Rawdon Pastoral Charge
REV. W. C. COX, B.A., B.D.

Bethel:
2.30 p.m. —Worship Service
1.30 p.m. — Sunday School
Mount Pleasant:
10.00 a.m. — Worship Service
11.15 a.m. — Sunday School
Spring Brook:
11.15 a.m. — Worship Service
10.00 a.m. — Sunday School

GRACE CHAPEL
10.00 a.m. — Sunday School
11.00 a.m. — Lord's Supper
7.30 p.m. — Gospel Service
Speaker:
Mr. Arnold Wannamaker
Stirling
Thursday: 8 p.m., Prayer and Bible Study
Saturday: 8 p.m., Young Peoples

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With just one week left and with all the hustle and rush of Christmas — when you have worried and wondered about that gift for man or boy on your list — may we offer one simple, sensible suggestion?

YOU CAN'T FAIL TO PLEASE HIM WITH A GIFT OF MEN'S OR BOYS' CLOTHING FROM A MEN'S STORE!

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It's Not Too Late — AND — We're Full of Ideas at

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Our store will be closed for stocktaking on Friday and Saturday, January 2nd and 3rd.

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SHOES -- SLIPPERS -- SNOWBOOTS
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AND WE WOULD LIKE TO CONVEY A SINCERE THANKS TO OUR MANY CUSTOMERS FOR THEIR PATRONAGE IN THE PAST YEAR.

STIRLING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

HOW FAR TO BETHLEHEM?
by Madeleine S. Miller

It isn't far to Bethlehem town!
It's anywhere that Christ comes down
And finds in people's friendly face
A welcome and abiding place.
The road to Bethlehem runs right through.
The homes of folks like me and you.

IN MEMORIAM

McGEE — In loving memory of a dear son, Keith McGee, who passed away December 18th, 1967.

I do not need a special day,
To bring you to my mind,
For the days I do not think of you
Are very hard to find.
What I would give if I could say
Hello Keith in the same old way,
To hear his voice and see his smile,
To sit with him and chat awhile.
Deep in my heart his memory is kept
To love and cherish and never forget.

— Dearly remembered by mother, Pearl McGee, sisters Madeline and Don Walker and family, Lois and Don Gibbons. 49-1

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbours for the many acts of kindness, mesages of sympathy and cards following the tragic death of our dear daughter-in-law, Eileen.
49-1 Everett and Anna Heath

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation to all my friends and relatives who remembered me with calls and cards while a patient in Belleville General Hospital. Special thanks to Carmel U.C.W. and A.F. & A.M. for flowers.
49-1p Arthur Pyear

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. Florence Palmer would like to express their sincere thanks to friends, neighbours and Rev. Michael Caswell for their many acts of kindness, for flowers and messages of sympathy received at the time of the passing of a dear sister and friend.

Aleitha Shillinglaw and Family
49-1p Jack and Margaret Green

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for the lovely cards and gifts I received while I was in the hospital and since returning home. A special thank you to Mount Pleasant UCW; Thanks to everybody who helped me and my family out in any way. Your thoughtfulness will always be appreciated.
49-1p Jim Hagerman

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our sincere appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbours for the beautiful floral tributes, cards, letters, donations and expressions of sympathy in a time of tragedy. A special thanks to the neighbours and friends who were so helpful at home. It will never be forgotten. Also thanks to Rev. Whitehorne for his comforting message, the Weaver Funeral Home for their efficiency and kindness in the loss of a dear wife and mother. May God bless you all.
49-1p Murray Heath and family

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Joseph Grills wish to express their sincere thanks for kindness shown by nurses and staff on the 7th level at Belleville General Hospital, and to Dr. Briggs. Also many thanks to relatives, friends and neighbours for messages of sympathy, floral tributes, donations to Heart Foundation, and I.O.O.F. service, during their recent bereavement in the loss of a loving husband, father and grandfather. A special thanks to the Weaver Funeral Home for their kindness and sympathy. Thanks also to Rev. J. B. Small and Rev. Whitehorne. 49-1

Death

PALMER, Florence Louise — Suddenly at St. Mary's of the Lake Hospital, Kingston, Ontario, on Thursday, December 11th, 1969, Florence Louise Nolan, in her 92nd year. Wife of the late Edward Palmer, of R.R. 4, Stirling. Dear friend of Malcolm (Jack) Green, of Stirling. Sister of Aleatha Shillinglaw, Fitzroy Harbor, (near Arnprior), Ontario.

Mrs. Palmer rested at the Hogle Funeral Home, 87 James St., Stirling. Services Saturday, December 13th, at 1.30 p.m. Interment Stockdale Cemetery. Rev. M. J. Caswell officiating.

Wellman's

(Mrs. Victor Graham)

Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson and family were supper guests on Tuesday of Mrs. Victor Graham and Eleanor.

Miss Denise Jackson was an overnight guest on Thursday with Miss Valerie Matthew.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maidment, Port Hope, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Wellman's Institute held a Christmas Concert on Saturday evening with a good crowd in attendance. Santa arrived and distributed candy to all the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Rollins, Mark and Kim, of Ivanhoe, were supper guests on Saturday of Mrs. Victor Graham and Eleanor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle were overnight guests on Friday of Mrs. Jack Livesey, of Belleville.

Mr. Richard Williams, Mrs. Jane Williams, Mr. Jones of Sudbury, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keating, Miss Marguerite Keating of Marmora and Mr. and Mrs. William Keating, Trenton, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick, of Petherick's, were supper guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson and family.

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THERE ARE BARGAINS GALORE AT RUDY'S STORE
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There are TURKEYS & HAMS for you at Rudy's Store

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SPACE SET ..... Reg. $15.95 -- $12.95
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BARBI DOLL BUBBLE BATH $1.49
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Final Meeting For Year Held By Stirling Village Council

Finis was written on the deliberations of Stirling Village Council for the current year on Monday night, December 15th, when the regular statutory meeting was held in the Council Chambers.

Reeve D. W. Rodgers presided with Councillors Robert Hulin, Claude Trumble and Maurice Faulkner in attendance.

The following correspondence was read by Clerk-Treasurer W. L. Pollock and dealt with:

Guaranty Trust Co., Interest Rates; Department of Municipal Affairs, Farm Assessment; The Ontario Municipal Board, Revised Planning Act; The Ontario Municipal World, 1970 Subscriptions; Victoria and Grey Trust, Trust account; Jas. A. Chambers, Trench report; George Rhynsburger, By-Law Officer's report.

Victoria and Grey Trust Co., reported interest at $103.33 in the Perpetual Account of Stirling Cemetery.

Jas. Chamber, Trench Inspector for the Village, reported twenty inspections made during 1969. His report was received on motion of Faulkner and Trumble.

On motion of Trumble and Faulkner, six copies of the Municipal World will be ordered for Village Council members and Clerk-Treasurer's office for next year.

It was the decision of Council that many local by-laws should be brought up to date and these will be reviewed by the 1970 Council.

Liability insurance coverage for activities of the Stirling Chamber of Commerce was discussed. On motion of Faulkner and Hulin a liability insurance policy will be purchased by the Village to cover Stirling Chamber of Commerce activities.

It was brought to attention of Council that it was becoming difficult to snowplow Henry St., south of the Village limits, due to brush growth along the roadside. A letter will be directed to Sidney Township Council, requesting that the matter be given consideration.

Councillor Hulin, represented the Council on the Stirling Library Board, gave a brief outline of the activities and changes made during the past year.

Reeve Rodgers, on behalf of Council, expressed his appreciation to Councillor Hulin for his six years' of service to the Village as Councillor.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

General

Donald Tucker, $6.00; Doug Patterson, $81.64; Nobles Pharmacy, $1.13; Stirling Motors Ltd., $69.20; John W. Gibson, $39.75; Hatton Hardware, $3.56; City of Belleville, $12.99; Stirling News-Argus, $81.60; PCO. Ltd., $25.00; Alton Hadley, $20.48; Stirling Fire Dept., $1200.00; W. L. Pollock, $13.10; H. E. Cooke, $574.80; Roads and Streets Voucher, $1991.46.

Cemetery

Wells Ford Sales, $7.00.

Community Hall

Hatton Hardware, $4.56; John W. Gibson, $39.21; Mouck's Crest Hardware, $16.75.

Boekeim In De Nederlandse Taal

Voor en periode van 3 a 4 maanden zullen er beeken to leen zijn in de Nederlandse taal. Deze dienstverlening van de Lake Ontario Regional Library System is alleen geldig in de Stirling Public Library. Eer is een verscheidenheid van boeken zoasl reisverhalen romans enz.

DUTCH BOOKS

Books, novels and non-fiction adult stories in the Dutch language are available for loan at the Stirling Public Library.

These books are now on the shelves and will be available for from three to four months.

Presented With 25-Year Jewel

Malcolm Mason, of Spring Brook, was presented with a twenty-five year jewel at a social evening, sponsored by Spring Brook Oddfellows' Lodge, No. 429, on Tuesday evening. The presentation was made by W. J. Barlow.

Draws Made

During the evening, lucky tickets were drawn for cash prizes, as follows: 1st, $15.00, Phyllis Hickey, Marmora; 2nd, $10.00, Mrs. Deline, Tweed; 3rd, $5.00, Lisa Burkitt, Brockville.

The members of Spring Brook Lodge wish to thank all those who purchased tickets, thus furthering the Lodge's benevolent work.

Year of Challenge Ahead: Rodgers

The year of 1969 has been a year of accomplishments for Hastings County, but next year's council will be charged with the responsibility of carrying some of the developments to completion.

These were the comments of Warden Donald Rodgers as he opened the December session of county council Wednesday morning, December 10th. This is the last session of council over which Warden Rodgers will preside.

Among the developments of this year cited by Warden Rodgers were the provincial takeover of the assessment function as of Jan. 1, 1970; talks regarding a county planning area; the setting up of a Quinte Air Service committee; the ACRO convention hosted by the county in October; completion of roads needs study and investigation toward the provision of a new county museum.

Possible developments still to be completed included the new museum, publication of a county industrial brochure, and talks regarding municipal reform.

During the fall Warden Rodgers said he had met with agricultural representative W. D. Tipper and county cheese factory operators regarding the problem of whey disposal. As a result a steering committee had been set up and the warden expressed hope for solutions.

Neath The Glow of The Star

Over mountains, through the valley's by river and rill,
In the shadows of midnight, now silent and still
There journeyed three Wisemen 'neath the heavenly ray,
'Til they came to the place where the Holy Child lay.

Then they opened their treasures 'neath the glow of the star,
That had guided them safely from homelands afar;
And they bowed at His feet, God's love to retrace,
And worshipped the King in that dear, hallowed place.

Rich gifts they presented to the heavenly King,
Born low of the Virgin — salvation to bring;
Then homeward returning to tell of His love
That brought Him to earth from His bright home above!

Myrtle Broadworth

CHRISTMAS, 1969

Thirty-five Senior Citizens enjoyed games and carol singing last Thursday. Delia Descent and Flossie Geen served a nice lunch. One visitor, Martha Fitchett, was welcomed. Now, there's a nice girl. We hope she will come again.

We have closed shop during the holiday period and will begin 1970 activities on January 8th.

Christmas is a happy time with festivities and fun. This is rightly so but let us also remember that it is a holy time. The Birthday of Jesus should also be a day of worship. If we REALLY BELIEVE, we will remember this.

The Senior Citizens have wished one another the compliments of the season and we now pass them on to you for this Christmas, all of 1970 and for a long time after that.

HAPPY LIVING,

Dis Ole Scribe

In Hospital

Mrs. Harvey Pitcher, Mill St., underwent surgery in Belleville General Hospital, on Friday.

Mrs. Will Johnston, Belleville Rd., is a patient in Belleville Hospital, suffering from a broken hip in a fall at her home.

Frank Haggerty, Mill St., is a patient in Belleville Hospital.

Mrs. Reg. McGee, of 30A Meyers St., Belleville, was admitted to Belleville General Hospital, on Saturday.

Your Weekly Smile

IN BETWEEN

"I never saw a woman so anxious to get married. You shouldn't be so obvious about it."

"I have to be. I'm at the in-between age."

"What do you mean by the in-between age?"

"In between eager and desperate."

Wayne Shaw Elected President Hastings County Riders

The Hastings County Riders held their annual Christmas party on December 6th, at George's Restaurant, in Campbellford.

Following dinner, Mr. R. Mocon, President, thanked all members for their support and help during the past year. Then each member was presented with a plaque with their name and "1969 member in good standing" engraved on it.

Two annual trophies, donated by Wieger de Jong Construction and The Stirling News-Argus for High Point Club Games Horse and High Point Club Performance Horse were both won by Miss Midget, owned by Wayne Shaw, of Stirling. Each year these trophies will be awarded to the High Point Horse of each class. Four plaques were then presented to Mr. R. Mocon, President; Mr. G. Floud, Vice-President; Mrs. R. Mocon, Secretary; and Mrs. G. Floud, Treasurer, with their names and 1969 office of position engraved on each one.

The Club also held the election of officers that night for the coming year. The new officers for 1970 are as follows:

President — Mr. Wayne Shaw
Vice-President — Mr. Jack Harry
Secretary — Mrs. Lois Skinkle
Treasurer — Mr. Jeen de Jong

Following the presentations and election of officers, everyone enjoyed dancing to Ray Peters Band, from Havelock. The Club donated all plaques and prizes for three spot dances and two door prizes.

Family of Three Injured In Car-Snowmobile Accident

A Glen Ross area couple and their teen-age son Friday night were injured when the family's two snowmobiles collided with a car near Stirling.

It was the first serious mishap involving snow vehicles in the area.

In hospital are Shirley Kenneth Towes, 48, R.R. 3, Frankford, his wife, Marie Jean Towes, and 16-year-old son, Rodney.

Mrs. Towes suffered a fractured leg and her husband and son possible head injuries in the collision on the Town Line Road, a mile west of Stirling.

Police say the accident occurred near the brow of a hill when the vehicles collided with a car driven by John Murray, 21, of R.R. 1, Stirling.

Mrs. Towes was driving the lead snowmobile, followed by her husband and son on the second machine. The oncoming automobile mounted the first snowmobile, demolishing the vehicle, then collided with Mr. Towes' machine, say police.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Jackson, Mrs. Helen Reid and Grant and Miss Jane Ferguson attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration, held in the Warsaw Orange Hall, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, of Lakefield.

St. Andrew's Church Holds Christmas Family Sunday

The folk of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, held their Christmas Family Sunday on December 21st, with a gratifying attendance.

The regular church service took place at 11 a.m., with Mrs. Harry Morrow, organist, using Christmas carols as prelude to the service.

The hymns, "Joy to the World", "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" and "O, Come All Ye Faithful", were sung.

The senior choir presented the anthem, "O Holy Night", in a very pleasing manner. The junior choir sang "Long, Long Ago", a number so well brought out with the younger voices.

Rev. D. C. MacPherson chose Psalm 45 for the responsive reading and Isaiah 9: 1-7 and Luke 2: 1-16 for the Scripture readings. He gave a very impressive message, taking as his text, Luke 2: 15.

Following the church service, everyone went to the Sunday School room, where the White Gift Service was presented by the younger ones. Mr. Eugene Burrell, Superintendent of the Sunday School, was leader of this service.

Everyone joined in one verse of "O Little Town of Bethlehem". Little Miss Anne Wood gave a recitation, "The Christmas Stocking". The Junior choir, under the guidance of Mrs. D. C. MacPherson and Mrs. H. Morrow, presented two choruses — "Silent Night" and "What Child Is This?" An outstanding feature of this number was when Kare, Ken, Lena and Lars Jonsson sang one verse of "Silent Night in Danish.

Mr. Burrell read the Christmas story, taken from the book of Matthew, the Phillips' edition. Then he read an 11-year-old boy's version, entitled, "What Christmas Is About". He mentioned that whether it is taken from the Book of Luke, King James edition as Rev. MacPherson read in church, or the way he had read it himself, or the way the little boy wrote it, the story is fundamentally the same.

A Christmas tree decorated the Sunday School room, with a good supply of canned goods, clothing, etc. spread beneath it. These articles were being sent to Evangel Hall in Toronto, to make Christmas there a happier one. Rev. MacPherson offered a prayer of dedication for these articles.

The ladies of the church, under the leadership of Mrs. Don Fargey, President of the Presbyterian Women, served a delicious lunch.

A strong feeling of fellowship was revealed in a day celebrated in this manner.

Next Paper January 7th

The next edition of the Stirling News-Argus will be published on Wednesday, January 7th.

Due to Christmas and New Year's holidays we find it impossible to publish a paper during this period.

Our office will be open as usual for commercial printing.

Attention Snowmobilers!

A Plea For Consideration

The News-Argus has been requested by the Adminstrator of Edward St. Manor to ask all snowmobilers to please consider not operating their machines near the Manor late in the evening. The Administrator points out that the patients are all elderly persons, some quite sick, and the noise from the machines greatly disturbs their rest. Your thoughtfulness in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

St. James' C.W.L.

The Christmas meeting of St. James' Catholic Women's League was held on Monday, December 15th, at the rectory in Frankford.

The meeting opened with prayer, followed by secretarial and treasurer's reports.

Mrs. Stan Meeks will look after preparations for treats for the children of the parish.

Toys are being collected and baskets are being distributed.

St. James parish will sponsor a euchre party in the rectory in Frankford, on January 15th.

Rev. McGarvey played a recording in conjunction with the recent mission, and read a passage entitled "Worry About the Future".

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Meeks.

The meeting closed with prayer and several games of euchre were enjoyed.

The evening concluded with the exchange of gifts and a delicious lunch, served by Mrs. Roy LaChappelle and Mrs. Stan Meeks.

- COMING EVENTS -

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24th,
CHRISTMAS EVE
HOLY COMMUNION
ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

at 8.00 p.m. A warm welcome is extended to all to attend this service of worship. 50-1

THE 65TH TRENT VALLEY COUNTRY JAMBOREE
STIRLING THEATRE, STIRLING
SAT. JANUARY 10th, 8.30 p.m.

SPECIAL GUESTS. FLOYD LLOYD & LINDA LLOYD, from ARC & Allied Records. Also another recording star from Toronto. Our own Western Hayriders band and a cast of valley entertainers. Dick Lovering, M.C. Bring the wife, the kids and the neighbours. Join in the pickin, singin, fiddlin & fun packed jamboree. Advance tickets on sale at, Doran Smoke and Gift Shop, 322 Front St., Belleville, and Jack's Appliance Shop, Stirling. Phone for tickets, Stirling 395-2120. Tickets also at the door, only advance tickets can win the door prizes. Adults $1.50, children .75 cents. If you've been here before, we know you'll come. If you haven't been here, you all better come. 50-2

SMORGASBORD — DANCING
HOTEL HAVELOCK

Smorgasbord every Wednesday Friday and Saturday, from 5 to 9 p.m.; Sunday, from 4 to 8 p.m. Dancing every Friday and Saturday night, from 9 to 1 a.m. Tom Christie's Orchestra, finest music in the area. Fully licensed 7 days a week. Reservations now being taken on Christmas dinners. We will be serving Christmas dinners on December 26th, 27th and 28th.

Edward MacDonald, New Pastor of Good Tidings Pentecostal Church

I am Pastor Edward MacDonald of Good Tidings Pentecostal Church, Stirling. My wife and I are pleased to be a part of your fine community. I am, at present, attending Eastern Pentecostal Bible College, Peterboro, and will be graduating next April.

Some people ask why go to Bible College. There is only one answer and that is that Christ is contemporary to the problems of today. The biblical message has appeal to modern dropouts. The Bible stresses that God is not frightened off by sin. God came into this world. When Adam and Eve sinned, God did not withdraw but came and called them. God comes into this technological world. We can be "with Him" because he has come to be with us. Christ comes into this world to change it by bringing it unto Himself.

A key word of the Christian faith is "salvation". Although it may not be popular in some circles today, the fact remains that, if the Scriptures are true, Christ came into the world to save sinners. Save them from the dangers ahead. Surely salvation from sin through the shed blood of the Son of God is the greatest gift God offers to mankind! God forbid that we should neglect it. Especially, near Christmas, we always think of Christ's birth but His death and resurrection is the completion of the birth to the world.

Breaks Ankle

Ray Tanner, operator of Tanner's Service Station, had the misfortune to break his ankle when he was thrown from a snowmobile on Wednesday night of last week.

THE VILLAGE OF STIRLING

PROCLAMATION
BOXING DAY
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26th, 1969

I hereby proclaim FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26th, 1969 (Boxing Day) as a Public Holiday for the Village of Stirling and would respectfully request that it be observed as such by all citizens as far as possible.

DONALD W. RODGERS,
Reeve of Village of Stirling

Our Warmest Season's Greetings

To all our Friends, Neighbours and Business Associates in Stirling & Area

IN LIEU OF SENDING CARDS WE HAVE MADE A SUITABLE DONATION OF MONEY TO THE HASTINGS COUNTY T.B. ASSOCIATION TO ASSIST THEIR IMPORTANT AND WORTHWHILE WORK.

Sincerely

Phyl, Doug, Judy, Patsy, Melinda
Bob and Kim Patterson

SEASON'S GREETINGS

TO YOU AND YOURS, GLAD GREETINGS AND HEARTY WISHES FOR GREAT HAPPINESS AT HOLIDAY TIME. WE ARE PROUD AND PLEASED TO SERVE YOU, AND THANK YOU FOR YOUR GOOD WILL.

Doug Morton & Staff
CONTRACTOR
PHONE 395-2551 STIRLING

Government Offers Dairy Herd Course

The Stirling office of the Ontario department of agriculture and food is looking for several men with farm backgrounds to take a dairy herd workers' course at Kemptville.

Following completion of the course the men would be assured full time employment on large dairy farms in Ontario.

Clayton Hall, rural development counsellor at Stirling, told county council this week that the demand for skilled dairy herd workers was far in excess of the supply of skilled men. The Kemptville course to commence Jan. 12 was designed to upgrade dairying skills to qualify men for jobs on large dairy farms.

Many low income farmers would be better off financially working on large farms, Mr. Hall suggested.

Selected students for the 10-week course will be eligible for the same assistance from Canada Manpower as the Business of Farming Course students. This ranges from $40 for single men up to $80 for married men with dependents, plus living out allowances for married men.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. JOHN LACHAPPELLE

The funeral for Mrs. Mary Ann LaChappelle, Crookston, who died in the Belleville General Hospital on December 10th, 1969, aged 80 years, was held from the Rushnell Funeral Centre, Trenton, recently to Sacred Heart Church,, Madoc. She had a lengthy illness.

Rev. F. J. O'Neill celebrated the Requiem Mass and entombment was in St. Carthagh's Church vault, Tweed.

The bearers were Lawrence Baker, Wallace Fleming, Leonard Horwood, Gary Rivers, Arthur Bolyea and Leo Covenay.

Mrs. LaChappelle was born in Erinsville but lived most of her life in the Crookston area. She was a member of Sacred Heart Church, Madoc.

Surviving are her husband, John LaChappelle, three daughters, Mrs. Vincent (Marie) Baker, Foxboro; Mrs. Stewart (Irene) Ray, R.R. 6 Belleville; Mrs. Ronald (Olive) Rivers, Tweed, and five sons, Bernard LaChappelle, at home; Roy, of Stirlong; Wilfred "Jimmie", Foxboro; Joseph, of Marmora, and Maurice, of Tamworth.

Carmel

(Mrs. Arthur Pyear)

Newly Weds Honoured

Miss Mary Anne Grills and Dennis Grills arranged a social evening in the Community Hall on Friday for Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Loshaw, newlyweds.

Douglas Pyear called the gathering to order and led in a sing song of old favourites and Christmas carols.

Mary Anne Grills read an address and a purse of money was presented, to which the honoured couple responded and intimated they would be residing at Bayside.

Several tables of cards and a social time were enjoyed and lunch was served.

STIRLING BRANCH OF THE Canadian Cancer Society

For Cancer patients needing drives to Toronto or Kingstson
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Merry Christmas

CHRISTMAS with its pleasant spirit of warm friendliness and goodwill is at hand again. In that spirit these Season's Greetings bring you sincere thanks for your patronage and friendly co-operation.

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December Meeting Faith Unit UCW

The December meeting of the Faith Unit of the United Church Women was held in the basement of the Church on Tuesday, December 9th, taking the form of a pot luck dinner.

Shortly after 2 o'clock, the members were called to order by Mrs. George Carlisle, with a plea for "Peace on Earth".

Under business, Mrs. Ed. Warren asked that any outstanding booklets be brought to the next meeting. The Supply Committee packed 22 boxes of good used clothing and gave the balance to the Church clothing cupboard.

Programme

The 2nd chapter of Matthew, verses 1-10 were read. Mrs. Harlow, in her meditation, pointed out that we are not lonely. Jesus gives us light and love. Let us keep a part of Christmas for it will give us peace and joy. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Leslie Thompson. Miss B. Hollinger and Mrs. L. Thompson gathered the offering. Mrs. H. West sang during the devotional.

After singing "Good Christian Men Rejoice", Mrs. V. Richardson brought the message of the afternoon, entitled "Even Unto Bethlehem". Farm folk had a leading part to play in the first Christmas of history. They were shepherds keeping watch over their flocks by night. They had had a wonderful experience. They had heard the singing of the Heavenly Host. An angel had made to them this great pronouncement, "Unto you is born this day a Saviour who is Christ the Lord". Excited and awed, the shepherds said: "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem". They went, and saw, and worshipped.

The 1970 slate of officers is as follows:

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Jail Not Needed Once Centre Opens

What to do with the century-old Hastings County jail after the new four county Quinte Regional Detentional Centre at Napanee is completed, will be a matter of discussion for county councillors at their January session.

Clerk Treasurer Carl Bateman in his administrator's report to county council this week said the new provincial jail would be completed early in 1971. At that time he said the necessity of keeping the present county jail would disappear.

Council referred discussions on the disposition of the county jail to its January session.

At the end of the year with the provincial take-over of the assessment function, the county assessment office will be phased out.

All personnel in the county office, including assessment commissioner S. C. Jevons, will be employed at the Trenton regional office under the provincial set-up.

Office space in the county building now occupied by the assessment office will be taken over by county social services department now housed at the Belleville city hall.

Rental fee for the office space has been set at $3,600 per year to be shared by Belleville, Trenton and the county. Rental at the county building will be the same as is now being paid at city hall.

Program Expansion Oddfellows Lodges

The world Order of Oddfellows, with 1.3 million members in 17 foreign countries, the United States and Canada, including 277 lodges in Ontario, has announced plans for expanding its fraternal activities to Japan, Brazil, Italy, Argentina, etc., in 1970.

Upbuilding of the fraternity, will be closely watched by local Oddfellows and Rebekahs who are busy with membership plans of their own.

Oddfellows and Rebekahs maintain orphanages and homes for the aged as well as other projects, including a chair for visual research at John Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore and several eye banks on the North American continent.

More than 20,000 high school students, winners of local Oddfellows United Nations Pilgrimage speech contests have won expense-free educational trips.

The Independent Order of Oddfellows (I.O.O.F.) was founded in April, 1819, in the Seven Stars Tavern on the Baltimore waterfront by Thomas Wildey and four other immigrant Englishmen. There are now lodges in Austria, Australia, Belgium, Chile, Cuba, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, New Zealand, The Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Sweden, Switzerland, Uruguay, Canada and the United States.

The Oddfellows new world leader is 37-year old Donald R. Smith Sovereign Grand Master, Linden, California, newspaper editor and publisher. He is the youngest chief officer in the Order's history. Smith is a past grand master of California Oddfellows, and is listed in "Who's Who in the West" and "Who's Who in Commerce and Industry."

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Students See Herd Tests

Canadian holsteins are at the top of the world cattle market and the special education classes of Centre Hastings Secndary School. Madoc saw the test on Wednesday of last week that helps achieve this record.

This was seen at Mr. Keith Donnan's farm. R.R. No. 2 Stirling Mr Raymond Richardson, an R.O.P. tester for the Dominion Department of Agriculture tested twelve samples from this herd of pure bred and grade cows. The highest test observed was 4.9. Many of Mr. Donnan's cows test higher than the Canadian average for Holsteins which is 3.9%.

Ken Walker introduced Mr. Richardson to the class and he was thanked by Roger York. Doug Meikle-john, another class member, whose cattle are tested on D.H.I.A. assisted in planning. — Tweed News

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Our Best Wishes

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One of the nicest parts of being your Reeve is that one gets the opportunity to know the many people whom we serve, better. It's impossible to get to know each one personally, but I will continue to try to lead your council to serve each and everyone's problems in a fair and equable basis.

1969 has been a most outstanding year in history as to the achievements on space and it has also been an outstanding one in local activities. We will see many more changes in our local government, and let us hope they will prove for the best. In order to maintain our democracy let us all take active parts in all of local affairs.

Christmas is still a Holy Day. Let us not forget the sacred events which took place many years ago.

Peace on earth, goodwill toward men should ring from all the bells at Christmas. Let us not forget that it is still more blessed to give than to receive. Think of and share with someone who is not as fortunate as we are.

Whatever else be lost among the years
Let us keep Christmas — It's meaning never ends
Whatever doubts assail us, or what fears,
Let us hold close this day — Remember friends.

In closing, I would again, on behalf of myself and your Council, like to wish all a Merry Christmas.

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The Institute sends Best Wishes to all for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

IN MEMORIAM

BURGESS — In loving memory of Robt. T. Burgess who passed away Dec. 27, 1958.

Gone from us but leaving memories.
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Memories that will always linger,
While upon this earth I stay.

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SALISBURY — In loving memory of a dear father, Mr. Edgar Salisbury, who passed away December 25th,

— Ever remembered by his daughter. Jean. 50-1

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Reginald D. French (Wynne) wishes to extend her sincere thanks for the thoughtfulness and kindness shown her by so many of the people of Stirling, during the recent bereavement in the loss of her husband. A special thanks to Dr. P. Briggs, the Rev. M. Caswell and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brandt. 50-1p

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbours for the many acts of kindness, flowers, cards and messages of sympathy at the time of the passing of a dear brother.

Bessie and Burton White
50-1p and Family

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to friends, relatives and neighbours who remembered me with cards, flowers, gifts, visits, and phone calls while in the hospital and since returning home. Also thanks to the clergymen who visited me, the doctors, nurses and staff. Happy New Year to all.

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Mount Pleasant

(Mrs. Percy MacMullen)

On Friday morning, the landscape was a Christmas wonderland. Trees and shubbery were covered with snow and four inches of it sat on the fields. It has been crisp and cold since and is ideal Christmas weather.

On Friday evening, December 19th, the marriage of Nancy Lenora David and Ross Arthur McIntosh was solemnized in Mount Pleasant United Church, by Rev. W. C. Cox. The reception followed in the church hall.

The U.C.W. catered with the December group in charge of the arrangements.

Frank Hubble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hubble, spent a few days last week in the General Hospital, Belleville.

Several from here attended the Christmas party Saturday evening, at Spring Brook, sponsored by the Rawdon Firemen.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Summers and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cote, Ottawa, were guests at the McIntosh—David wedding and spent the week end with the former's mother, Mrs. Cyrus Summers.

Robert H. Hoard underwent a tonsilectomy in Peterborough Hospital on Saturday, December 13th.

Mrs. Sid Wiliams received word of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Jessie Lansing, of Maynooth. Deceased was in her 95th year. The funeral was held Saturday.

Allan Wrightman underwent an appendectomy in the General Hospital, Belleville, on Monday, December 15th.

Twp. of Huntingdon Council Meeting

The Township of Huntingdon Council met at the Township Hall, Ivanhoe, at 1.15 p.m., on December 15th.

Stewart J. Cooke presented the 1969 auditors' report and also tendered his resignation as auditor, due to other commitments The auditor's resignation was accepted with regret.

The Road Voucher, No. 12, for $8,539.75 was ordered paid; also the following bills:

Hastings Co. Bd. of Education, bal. 1969 requisition, $49,801.22; County of Hastings, 1969 County rates, $37,033.79; Registry Office, $6.20; Village of Madoc, stand by, dumping privileges E. Wright fire, $827.00; Village of Tweed, stand by, $600.00; Village of Tweed, fire truck rental, $270.00; Tweed Fire Dept., men's wages, $75.00; R. Sills, Council fees, $300.00; K. A. Holland, Council fees, $225.00; Francis Thompson, $225.00; Harold Thompson, Council fees, $225.00; George Wood, Council fees, $225.00; J. Stephens, Weed Inspector, Fire Warden, $15.00; K. A. Holland, Fire Warden, $500; Leonard Jones, Fire Warden, $5.00; Donald McInroy, Fire Warden, $5.00; Elmer Wilson, Fire Warden, $5.00; Municipal World, subscriptions, $45.00; Clayton Wright postage, $13.16; North Hastings Review, printing, $58.80; Royal Canadian Legion, wreath, $8.00; Robert Sills, repairing heater, $2.00; S. J. Cooke, 1968 audit, $500.00; Elmer Wilson, bulldozer work, $64.00; Robert Nadeau, 1 sheep killed, $35.00; David Thompson, 1 lamb killed, 1 valuation, $29.00; John McGuire, 1 valuation, $4.00; E. Omerod, cleaning furnace, $15.25; Leslie Blakely, fuel, $41.47; Hastings Federation of Agriculture, grant, $200.00.

The Council concurred in the resolution from the town of Stoney Creek that the Council go on record as requesting the Attorney-General of the Province of Ontario to vigorously enforce the laws respecting illegal gatherings and civil disobedience and that a copy of this resoultion be sent to the Attorney-General.

Council adjourned and will meet again on January 5th, 1970, at 1[illegible].30 p.m.

Russell Sills, Reeve — W. J. C Wright, Clerk

Spring Brook

(Mrs. Malcolm Mason)

There were seven tables of cards played at the I.O.O.F. social evening held in the Hall, on Tuesday evening. Ladies' high, Mrs. Hugh Jones; Gent's high, Vern Runnalls. The door prize was won by Mrs. Allan McComb.

During the evening Bro. Malcolm Mason, P.D.D.GM, was presented with a 25-year jewel. The presentation was made by Bro. Wm. Barlow, P.D.D.G.M. Short addresses were given by Bros. Roy Shortt, Charles Wellman and Allan McComb.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bateman visited Mr. Morgan Bird at Campbellford on Friday night and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vanwart and family, Peterborough.

Mr. Bud Stocker, Cornwall, called on Mrs. George Thompson, on Sunday.

The Spring Brook Bowling League held their annual Christmas party on Wednesday evening. Prize winners for hidden scores were: Gladys Mason, Mary Morton, Elda Bateman, Glen Morton, Don Reid and Jim Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Finch, Garry, Roxanne and Mrs. Emma Bateman attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin at Warsaw Hall, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Belleville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid on Sunday.

The Rawdon Fire Department held their annual Christmas party on Saturday evening. A pot luck supper was enjoyed, followed by a program. Santa arrived and distributed treats to the children. Several lucky draws were held with Art Reid being the winner of the door prize.

An hour's work in a factory bought one-and-one-half pounds of round steak in 1935 and two-and-four-tenths pounds in 1966, according to government sources.

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(Mrs. Arthur Pyear)

Euchre Party

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Grills and Mr. and Mrs. Brian Sayers sponsored the euchre party at the Community Hall when six tables were in play. The prize winners were; Men's, Tony Aide, Tom Grills and Douglas Pyear; Ladies', Mrs. Robt. Hearns, Mrs. A Pyear and Joanne Hearns. Lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

Christmas Party

The ladies of the Community Committee served a full course turkey dinner in the Hall to the staff members and friends of Riverside Construction on Friday evening.

U.C.W. Meeting

The U.C.W Unit met at the Community Hall on Tuesday evening. The leader, Mrs Ray Keating, opened with a carol, prayer and a welcome to all.

Mrs. Tom Grills and Mrs. Robt Hearns were in charge of the devotional and program The Christmas story was given with Mrs. Tom Grills, Mrs. Hearns, Mrs. Clifford Hubble and Mrs. Jim Keating, taking part, interspersed with carol singing. Joanne and Barbara Hearns sang a duet. Mrs. Arthur Pyear played, "O Holy Night" as a piano solo

The report of the nominating committee was given and Mrs. Joe Grills presided for the installation of the officers for 1970 as follows:

Leader, Mrs. Ray Keating; Secretary, Mrs. Ron White; Treasurer, Mrs. Jim Keating; Community Friendship and Visiting, Mrs. Chas. Smith; Program, Mrs. Robt. Hearns; Supply and Welfare, Mrs. John Grills; Flowers, Mrs. Arthur Pyear.

The lunch committee, Mrs. Ron White and Mrs. Clifford Hubble served a variety of Christmas cookies and cheese as refreshments.

Personals

Mr. Ray Keating, Mr. Ralph Keating, Mr Frank Keating, Mrs. Gerald Fraser and Mr. Archie MacMillan attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Florence Hilton in Smiths Falls, on Sunday. Mrs. Hilton was a sister of Mr. Frank Keating.

POSTED on the office bulletin board: "This year's Christmas party has been cancelled due to last year's Christmas party".

MY SINCERE THANKS . . .

For your co-operation during the past year, and for unaminously nominating me as your candidate to contest the next Provincial election. I deeply appreciate your confidence and I assure you I will continue to work in your interests and serve you to the best of my ability.

May I now at this season of the year extend my best wishes to one and all for

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A CHRISTMAS WISH FOR YOU

May the laughter and the sunshine
of this blessed, holy day,
And the glory of His presence
shine in love o'er all your way;
May the warmth of Home and friendships,
happiness and joy impart,
And the Peace of God abiding,
keep a song within your heart.

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Gladys Smith

TO OUR FRIENDS ON THE RAWDON CHARGE, STIRLING and AREA

A Merry Christmas. We thank all of you who have remembered us with cards and gifts. May the Spirit of Christmas abide with you and all throughout the coming year.

Wib, Dawn and Craig Cox

A Merry Christmas Day

See Christmas lights, with colours bright
On homes all over town
The ground is white and sparkly tonight
Snow flakes come tumbling down.
The turkey, and the dressing now
Are waiting in the pan.
There's pies and cake, and pudding to
And tarts all filled with jam.
The Christmas tree in the living room
With shiny tinsel gay
We wish you a happy yuletide friends

A Merry Christmas Day.

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STIRLING ONTARIO

Merrie Bowlers

Dec. 17th — High single, triple and Average, Barb Noble, 277, 669 and 189.

Over 200 — Barb 277 and 215; Lillian 218; Linda 233.

Points — Moonshiners 7; Apollos 7.

Minto

(Mrs. Lindsay Tanner)

Sorry to report Mrs. Ralph Clements in hospital following major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Vance spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Harper Bateman and family at Springbrook.

Miss Jane Clements, Guelph University, arrived home Friday to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Colden were tea hour guests of Mrs. Leafe Heagle and Paul on Thursday.

Tanner L.O.L. Euchre Party

The card party sponsored by Tanner L.O.L. was held Friday night with ten tables in play. The winners were: Ladies' high, Marlene Preston; second, Mrs. Cecil Holland; men's high, Earl Ketchen; second, Archie Wickens; door prize, Cecil Holland.

Following cards lunch was served.

Christmas Concert

A Christmas Concert was held in the Minto Community Hall Thursday night with a splendid attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lang deserve much credit for the success of the concert. They provided many decorations as well as a prettily lit tree. They also supplied music for the evening with Mr. Lang on the piano and Mrs. Lang playing the violin.

Mrs. Harold Holden presided over the programme and welcomed everyone. Several recitations and songs were given by the children which were enjoyed by all. Mr. and Mrs. Lang played for many Christmas carols. Mrs. Nellie Hagerman gave an instrumental. Mrs. Abbie Mumby, the oldest member of the community, was welcomed.

Following the enjoyable program, the children were given treats and lunch was served.

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Sunday, Dec. 28th

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REV. M. J. CASWELL, B.A., S.T.B.

Christ Church, Glen Miller :
10.00 a.m. — Holy Communion
Trinity, Frankford:
7.00 p.m. — Holy Communion
St. John's Stirling:
11.15 a.m. — Morning Prayer

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

REV. D. C. MacPHERSON, B.A., Th.B.

St. Andrew's, Stirling:
11.00 a.m. — Christmas Family Service, followed by Sunday School programme and White Gift Service.
West Huntingdon:
9.30 a.m. — Christmas Family and White Gift Service.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES

Pastor: Rev. James F. McGarvey, P.P.
— Holy Mass Schedule —
St. James The Minor Church, Stirling:
1st & 2nd Sun. of month — 9.00 a.m.
3rd, 4th and 5th Sun. of the month — 10.30 a.m.
St. Francis Of Assisi Church, Frankford:
1st and 2nd Sun. of month—10.30 a.m.
3rd, 4th and 5th Sun. of the month — 9.00 a.m.

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Sunday Church School:
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11.00 a.m. — Infants to 6 years

CHRISTMAS EVE — DEC. 24th
8.00 p.m. — Holy Communion
Special invitation extended to all

Rawdon Pastoral Charge

REV. W. C. COX, B.A., B.D.

Bethel:
10.00 a.m. — Worship Service
11.15 a.m. — Sunday School
Mount Pleasant:
11.15 a.m. — Worship Service
10.00 a.m. — Sunday School
Spring Brook:
7.30 p.m. — Worship Service
7.00 p.m. — Evensong

GRACE CHAPEL

10.00 a.m. — Sunday School
11.00 a.m. — Lord's Supper
7.30 p.m. — Gospel Service
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A SMILE TO CHEER YOU
A FRIEND BESIDE YOU
A FIRE TO WARM YOU
A PRAYER TO SAY
AND A YEAR AS BRIGHT
AS CHRISTMAS DAY!

A Merry Christmas And A Happy New Year

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SEASON'S GREETINGS

May we take this opportunity to express our sincere Christmas Greetings to the congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, and also St. Andrew's West Huntingdon, and to say to our many good friends in Stirling and vicinity.

May the Peace and Good Will of Christmas be with you always.

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O.P.P. REPORT

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Enter upon **any portion** of Highway No. 401.

Drive on the roadway (travelled portion) of any Kings Highway. You may of course drive along any other part providing you stay as far from the travelled portion as is practicable under the circumstances. Outside of Hastings County, check legislation pertaining to the area in question.

YOU MAY

Drive on any County, Township or Municipal road UNLESS there is a By-Law prohibiting the use of such road by "Snowmobiles."

STIRLING HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

A VERSE FOR THE NEW YEAR

What doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and walk humbly with thy God?

Wellman's

(Mrs. Victor Graham)

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Dracup, Mary and Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dracup and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Malloy attended the concert presented Wednesday evening by the choir of the Peterborough Teachers' College.

Mr. and Mrs. Roly Jackson and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wally Jackson and family, of Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Althouse, of Peterborough, visited Sunday with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

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St. Thomas A.C.W.

The Christmas meeting of St. Thomas' AC.W. was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Ted Preston.

The meeting opened with a carol, followed by the Litany in the Living Message, with several members taking part. Mrs. E. Runnalls, Mrs. M. Keller and Mrs. Frank McGee led in the Advent and Christmas collects. Roll call was answered with a favourite carol. A letter was read from the Prayer Partner.

Business was discussed and sick and shut-ins are to be remembered. The programme followed with each member contributing a Christmas selection, following which a carol was sung and Mrs. Preston closed the meeting with prayer.

The hostess served refreshments.

Auto Insurance Increase Seen For Next Year

The cost of automobile insurance is going up in Canada next year.

The only question appears to be by how much and when.

One calculated guess is that the increase will average about six per cent, effective in about March.

This is the conclusion reached by Toronto insurance men after a quick study of the annual Green Book published by the Insurance Bureau of Canada.

The study tells of sharply-increasing cost of claims, and an increase in the percentage of drivers making claims.

The bureau itself does not make predictions about rates. But the figures it provides form the basis for company decisions and it appears obvious there is no alternative to increased premium rates.

The Green Book covers all insurers and all provinces except Saskatchewan which has its own government - operated plan.

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Peace On Earth

A Star shone, and three Wise Men sought a sacred Manger in the little town of Bethlehem, where the Christ Child was born. This Christmas, let the light of His message shine into all our lives, spreading "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men".

1969 Stirling Council

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Season's Greetings

TIME TO WISH ALL OUR LOYAL FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS A CHRISTMAS SEASON FILLED WITH JOY AND HAPPINESS, AND EXPRESS OUR SINCERE GRATITUTE FOR YOUR PATRONAGE

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Remember to replenish water regularly throughout the Christmas Season. You may need to add more than a pint a day.

Insulation on lighting strings should be checked for damage and possible short circuits. If buying new lights, be sure they are C.S.A.

Smoking near the tree is foolish and dangerous. Keep cigarettes and matches at a safe distance.

Tinsel and other decorations should be non-inflammable. Don't deck your tree with added fire dangers!

Make sure that matches are kept out of reach of children, and never leave young children unattended even for a minute!

Always clear away discarded gift wrappings promptly from the tree area. Even a moist tree will burn if ignited by such a fire around its base.

Switch off the tree lighting when you go to bed, or whenever you leave your home.

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Rylstone Friendly Neighbours Club Disbands

Another era of history at Rylstone has passed with the closing of the Friendly Neighbours' Club. Originally a church group, it was known as the Missionary Society of the Rylstone Presbyterian Church. With the advent of Church Union in 1925, Rylstone Church became a United Church and the women's group, after 1938, was known as the Women's Association. This was again changed in the 1960's to United Church Women.

When the Church was closed in 1968, the ladies formed a non-denominational group, called the Friendly Neighbours Club, and included Rylstone Women from different churches. The main reason for ending the association was lack of members and members willing to accept office.

Mrs. Bob Spencer entertained the group at her home on Wednesday for their final meeting. Mrs. Clarence Thomson, president, was in charge of the devotions, and read selections from Isiaah, chapter 9, and the 1st chapter of Luke, followed by the Lord's Prayer. "Silent Night" was sung and Mrs. Thomson read, "The Miracle of Christmas", and another carol, "The First Noel" was sung. Mrs. Bob Spencer read "Mary, Mother of Jesus".

The business of disbanding was discussed and voted on, the majority being in favour of the dissolution of the Club.

To clear out existing funds, it was decided to make donations to Campbellford Memorial Hospital, Merryvale School For Retarded Children in Campbellford, and the Sunday School of a local church.

A hearty vote of thanks was rendered to Mrs. Clarence Thomson for her leadership during the past year, and to Mrs. Jack Spencer for her assistance as secretary-treasurer.

Small gifts for Senior Citizens were distributed among the ladies for delivery to the recipients.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Ellis Jones was the only member of the group who was a member of the original Missionary Society. She has been a continuous members except for a few years when she lived away from the community.

Minto

(Mrs. Lindsay Tanner)

(Held Over)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colden spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newt Wilson and family, of Roslin, the occasion being their forty-seventh wedding anniversary.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim York were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnard, Mr. Eric Waite, Mr. and Mrs. Victor York, Mr. Peter Waite and Miss Linda Bronson, of Belleville.

Miss Edna Tanner, Messrs. Clare and George Tanner and Mrs. Edith Edwards and Janice, of Stirling, were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Courtney on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Campbell and boys, of Kingston, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan, of Stirling, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Minto Community Card Party

Minto community held a card party Thursday night with six tables in play. The winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Earl Ketchen; second, Mrs. Harold Holden; Ladies' low, Mrs. Ross Kirn; Men's high, Ern. Broadworth; second, Earl Ketchen; low, Frank McGee; door prize, Harold Holden.

Following cards, lunch was served.

Tanner L.O.L. Card Party

The card party, sponsored by Tanner L.O.L., was held Friday night with nine tables in play. The winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Glenn Hinds; second, Elaine Downey; low, Mrs. Della Revoy; Men's high, Milford Wrightman; second, Carman Downey; low, Lindsay Tanner; door prize, Cecil Holland.

Following cards, lunch was served.

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Thursday Night Mixed Bowling

The BP's took 2 games for 4 points but the Westenders took total pinfall and 1 game so got 3 points.

The Idlers were 5 to 2 winners over the Selects.

Ladies' high single, Marie Morton, 261; high triple and average, Sylvia Edgar, 603 and 184.

Men's high single and triple, Bob Spencer, 266 and 694; high average, Ralph Parks, 201.

Games of 200 and over — Sylvia Edgar 237; Jim Edgar 206, 226; Opal Reilly 203; Don Reilly 200; Marie Morton 261; Jack Morton 243; Ernie Glover 224, 225; Gord Barrie 216; Evelyn Prest 201, 222; Ralph Parks 208, 241, 208; Bob Spencer 208, 226, 220; Marlene Fraser 222, 208.

Wednesday Night Ladies' League

December 10th:

Wingdings 43; Hit & Miss 54; Turtles 47; Mud Hens 38.

Group "A" — High single, triple and average, Ivy Poste, 268, 654 and 191.

Group "B" — High single and triple, Betty Brown, 195 and 550.

200 and over — Ivy Poste, 268 and 213; Emma Roe, 266; Ruth McCrory, 205 and 201; Daisy Corbett, 207 and 239.

Merrie Bowlers

December 10th:

High single and triple, Grace Donohoe, 216 and 575; high average, Barb Noble, 187.

Over 200 — Grace Donohoe 216; Willy deJong, 212; Marion Palmer, 205; Mildred Fraser, 208.

Points — Apollos 7; Moonshiners 4; Skylarks 3.

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GREETINGS

GLOWING as a cheery hearth,
bright as a gaily-lighted tree
are our warm-hearted
wishes for your joy and contentment at
this happy holiday season. We greatly enjoy
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Mt. Pleasant U.C.W

The Christmas meeting of Mount Pleasant United Church Women was held Wednesday evening, December 10th, at the Church Hall, with forty-two ladies in attendance. The decorations included lighted lanterns, tree, bouquets of poinsettas and a worship centre.

Mrs. Mac Sharpe provided the Christmas music and accompanied the carols from the hymnary. There was also recorded music.

Mrs. Burton Sharpe presided and opened with a hymn and prayer. This meeting completes her term of office and she voiced appreciative thanks to all.

Mrs. Harry McAdam gave the minutes and roll call. Mrs. Grant Hubble read seven thank you notes. The treasurer's report was read, which showed a good balance. The allocation for the 1970 Presbyterial budget is $500, with another twenty dollars for Presbyterial expenses.

Mrs. Frank Spencer reported that the cost of sending two supply bales during the year was sixty-four dollars.

The Finance Committee convened recently and several donations were authorized. This included twenty-five dollars to St. Paul's clothing cupboard and twenty-five dollars to the Presbyterial clothing fund for a fourteen-year-old boy.

During the year the members had an unknown friend with a gift exchange at this meeting, when it was revealed who had sent cards for birthdays and anniversaries. There was a large array of gifts and it was decided to carry on this idea for 1970.

Mrs. Kenneth Weaver outlined the U.C.W. budget of expenditures for the coming year.

Programme

Mrs. Robert H. Hoard and Mrs. Stanley Williams were in charge of the programme. Various Bible passages were read by Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mrs. Oscar Merrick and Mrs. Vernon Harry. Mrs. Robert Hoard read "Christ Comes To Us"; Mrs. Stanley Williams, "Dawson Creek"; Mrs. Ross Jeffs, "Harrington Harbour"; and Mrs. Douglas Campbell, "Christmas at the Union Station".

Christmas hymns were sung appropriate to the items which had previously read. Mrs. Clarence Scott gathered the offering which was dedicated. The service closed with prayer.

Mrs. Burton Sharpe, with Mrs. Allen Reid as assistant, provided Christmas refreshments.

Suggest Winter Closing Some Cheese Factories

The report of a committee appointed earlier this year to investigate problems of the dairy processing industry suggests that price supports and subsidies have helped maintain plants which should have gone out of business long ago.

Agriculture Minister William Stewart, in tabling the report in the Ontario legislature, did not indicate whether he would adopt its major recommendation calling for cheddar cheese incentives and encouragement of plant consolidations.

The report said the provincial agriculture department should provide an incentive to assist cheddar cheese factories to close November through March if milk receipts of the plant are below the amount required for an eight-hour shift.

Rylstone

(Mrs. Ellis Jones)
(Held Over)

Rickie Meiklejohn is a patient in Belleville General Hospital, where he underwent surgery.

Mrs. Howard Finch was rushed to Belleville Hospital, by ambulance, on Sunday, after a fall at her home. It is feared her hip may be broken.

Don Heath, of Oakville, spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath.

Guests at the Robertson-Reid wedding in Trinity United Church in Peterborough, on Saturday, were — Mrs. Essie Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid and Mrs. Don Pettey, (nee Anne Reid). They also attended the reception at the Rock Haven Motel, Peterborough following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart visited Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McKeown, Janie and Lyle, at Bonarlaw on Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Meiklejohn, were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robertson, and Paul of Blackstock; Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, Bruce and Carrie, of Beaverton; and Mr. and Mrs. Denton Meiklejohn, of Springbrook.

Six tables of euchre were played at the 3rd games night at the W.I. Hall on Saturday night. The men's high score was won by Ernie Irwin; Men's low by Mark Thomson; Women's high prize went to Mrs. Stanley Kerr and Women's low prize to Mrs. Ross Dickie. The travelling prizes, were won by Mrs. Stanley Kerr and Craig Finch. There will be no more parties until January 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick were Sunday guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Grills and family at English Line.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patrick, Denise, Darlene and David, of Trenton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart and family, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Torrance, and Tracey, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McKeown.

Mr. Glen Pratt, of Lakefield was a Sunday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reid and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Mitchell of Wooler, and Mrs. Rena Bateman of Springbrook, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Cora Reid.

Karen Andrews of Bonarlaw, was a Sunday guest of Lois Reid.

Season's Greetings

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Merry Christmas . . .

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Township of Rawdon Council Meeting

Rawdon Council met at Harold on December 15th with all members present.

Shortt and Sutherland — The letter received from the Canadian Mental Health Association was read and filed.

Pollock and Sutherland — The letter received from the Canadian Transport Commission was read and filed.

Shortt and Sutherland — That Donald Tucker be paid $5.50 for disposing of a dog.

Shortt and Pollock — Mrs. Vera Bailey be paid her salary as caretaker of the Town Hall, plus $12.30 for supplies.

Sutherland and Shortt — That James Rainie be paid a wolf bounty of $25.00.

Pollock and Shortt — The Stirling News-Argus be paid $240.33, account in full for the year.

Shortt and Sutherland — The Treasurer be given authority to pay the County call and all school monies.

Sutherland and Shortt — That Percy Reid be refunded $2.00 rebate on dog tax.

Heath and Sutherland — Road Voucher No. 12 for $2926.07 be paid.

Shortt and Heath — Mrs. Ida Gilbert be refunded $31.81 for demolishing house on lot 24, Con. 12 of Rawdon.

Sutherland and Shortt — The Reeve have authority to sign cheques to the end of the year.

Burton Morton, Reeve — W. J. Barlow, Clerk

Mount Pleasant Messengers

On Saturday evening, December 6th, the Messengers held their annual Christmas Party at the Church Hall, with a large attendance of children and adults. Yuletide decorations made a colourful picture. Jill McAdam was pianist for the singing of Christmas carols. Kenneth Sharp gave the welcome.

Piano selections were played by Heather Hoard and Terry Bailey. Heather Hoard adn Terry Bailey.

Several girls presented a short play, entitled "The Christmas That Almost Wasn't".

Mrs. Garth Joslin and Lynn rendered a piano duet. Ian Hubel gave several jokes. Kenneth Hoard delighted with a recitation. Vocal solos were given by Isobel Hoard and Janey Talsma. Selections were read by Kathy Sharpe, Hilda Talsma and Donnie Hubel.

The offering was gathered by Gail Merrick and Janey Talsma. At the close, the Hubel boys were in charge of games.

In the business period, donations were authorized for Plainfield Retarded Children's Hospital, Smiths Falls Retarded Chuldren and Care of Canada. This money was the profit on card sales during the year.

The leaders, Mrs. Raymond McConnell and her assistants, Mrs. Garth Joslin and Mrs. Stanley Williams, distributed treats and gifts for the Messengers. Refreshments were served and chocolate milk was provided for the children.

Direct Dialing Snagged

Expansion of direct dialing services in the Belleville-Stirling and Bancroft-Coe Hill areas will be delayed one to two years as a result of Board of Transport Commissioners turning down the Bell Telehone request for increased rates.

This was made known to Hastings County councillors last week in a letter from Belleville Bell manager George Thompson.

Mr. Thompson said that direct dialing had been planned for the Belleville, Stirling, Frankford and Wooler areas, and also in North Hastings, but this program would now have to be curtailed for lack of financing.

More than a million dollars had been cut out of Bell's program for the county area and would have to await other means of financing.

Chatterton W. I. Monthly Meeting

Mrs. Albert Carson opened her home recently for the Chatterton W.I. Christmas meeting with thirteen members and five visitors present.

The President opened the meeting in the usual manner. The roll call was an exchange of gifts.

Plans were made for the shut-ins at Christmas. All joined in singing two Christmas carols. Mrs. Helen Reid read "Let's Keep Christmas".

"Away in a Manger" and "Frosty the Snowman" were sung by Miss Eleanor Reid and Miss Susan Nickerson.

Mrs. Evelyn Ross gave a reading, "Lighted By a Star" "A House Is Not a Home" was read by Mrs. Alice Gulliver. Mrs. Isenburg gave a demonstration on homemade gifts and decorations for a cake and home decorations. She also conducted a contest which was won by Mrs. Hansey.

The meeting closed and the hostess and her assistants served a dainty 25c tea for the Pennies For Friendship fund.

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"Please, honey, use both hands!" the sweet young thing exclaimed as her boyfriend zippered around an S-curve at 80 miles per hour.

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Hockey Schedule Stirling Novice

Dec. 26th — Brighton at Stirling, 6.00.
Jan. 2nd — Wellington at Stirling, 6.00.
Jan. 19th — Stirling at Wellington, 6.30.
Jan. 16th — Belleville at Stirling, 6.00.
Jan. 24th — Stirling at Tweed, 2.00
Jan. 30th — Campbellford at Stirling, 6.00.
Feb. 6th — Stirling at Marmora, 7.00.
Feb. 13th — Madoc at Stirling, 6.00
Feb. 21st — Stirling at Brighton, 2.00.

OHA Eastern Intermediate "C" Schedule

Sat., Jan. 3rd — Bata at Sunderland
Tues., Jan. 6th — Bata at Newcastle
Thurs., Jan. 8th — Newcastle at Bata
Tues., Jan. 13th — Bata at Newcastle
Thurs., Jan. 15th — Newcastle at Bata
Thurs., Jan. 22nd — Little Britain at Bata
Sat., Jan. 24th — Bata at Sunderland
Tues., Jan. 27th — Bata at Newcastle
Thurs., Jan. 29th — Newcastle at Bata
Sun., Feb. 1st — Bata at Little Britain
Thurs., Feb. 5th — Sunderland at Bata
Thurs., Feb. 12th — Little Britain at Bata
Sat., Feb. 14th — Bata at Sunder land

NOTE — All Bata home games played at Stirling Arena.

Teen Bowlers

December 5th:

Girls' high single, Sue Wright, 213; high double and average, Julie Hunter, 379 and 172.

Boys' high single and double, Dan Beith, 284 and 463; high average, Barry Wilson, 220.

December 12th:

Girls' high single, Karen Wilson, 201; high double, Shirley Ann Milligan, 351; high average, Julie Hunter, 171.

Boys' high single and double, Charles Loucks, 294 and 529; high average, Barry Wilson, 220.

Team standings — Flyers 39; Virginian Gang 31; J. C. Reruns 20; Nice Shots 30.

Energetic Bowling

December 5th:

Group A — High single, triple and average, Verna Woodbeck, 242, 653 and 208.

Group B — High single and triple, Katie Wilhelm, 220 and 563.

Over 200 games — Verna Woodbeck 242, 221; Lenora West 209; Katie Wilhelm 220; Jean Marchand 210.

December 12th:

Group A — High single and high triple, Lenora West, 254 and 658; high average, Verna Woodbeck 208.

Group A — High single, Joan Jones, 222; high triple, Naomi Eggleton, 502.

Over 200 games — Lenora Weat 254, 213; Verna Woodbeck 225; Irene Hogle 223; Joan Jones 222; Naomi Eggleton 216; Heather McGee 218.

Holloway

(Mrs. Lorne Reid)
(Held Over)

Sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. Norman Parks and her family in the death of Mr. Parks.

Many of the community are confined with the 'flu and colds.

Mrs. Mabel Green, Toronto, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Reid and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carson and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reid spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Irvine.

Mrs. Roy Ross had the misfortune to fall and break her ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tully spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tully, of Cloyne.

Annual Meeting Of Wellman's LOL

On Wednesday evening, December 3rd, a successful meeting of Wellman's L.O.L., No. 172, was held in the Orange Hall at Wellman's Corners.

County Master Bro. Don Freeburn presided for the opening ceremonies.

P.G.M. Bro. Fred Bateman took the chair for the initiation of a candidate and election and installation of officers.

The following officers were elected and installed:

W.M. — Bro. Wm. Fleming
D.M. — Bro. Keith Clancy
Chaplain — Bro. Clarence Scott
Rec. Sec. — Gerald Russett
Treasurer — Bro. Harry McAdam
Fin. Sec. — Raymond McConnell
Marshall — Bro. Jim Fleming
Sick. Com. — Bros. Frank Bailey, Jas. Thompson and Harry McAdam

Several speeches and a dainty lunch brought the meeting to a close.

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